

B.C. Increases Old Age Pensions To \$40

Jews Refuse To Land In France



Seriously ill, a Jewish woman was removed by stretcher from the British ship Runnymede Park to an ambulance at Port de Bouc, France. Other Jewish refugees, turned back from Palestine and taken to the French port on that and two other ships, still were refusing to land today.

Britain Discusses Import Cuts To Save \$280,000,000

LONDON (Reuter)—A £70,000,000 (\$280,000,000) saving in six months through immediate import cuts was being discussed in British political circles today as one of the steps the cabinet plans to combat Britain's economic crisis.

Further cuts were anticipated for October unless the situation had shown definite improvement by then.

Britain is importing about £150,000,000 worth of goods a month and exporting £93,000,000. Most of the deficit is being met by drawing from the U.S. and Canadian loans.

The "Big Five" cabinet ministers, Prime Minister Attlee, Ernest Bevin, Herbert Morrison, Hugh Dalton and Sir Stafford Cripps, thrashed out details of the crisis program which Attlee will announce in Parliament next week and which will mean greater austerity for the whole British nation.

PLAN FOOD CUTS

Other measures expected were: 1. To reduce the foreign exchange deficit without waiting for United States aid or the outcome of the Marshall aid to Europe talks in Paris.

2. To include food and raw material as well as the armed forces in the cuts, and in fact, ask the British people to consent to every sacrifice which can be made without acute danger of reducing production.

3. To end continental holidays for many thousands of weary Britons by reducing the present allowance of £75 a year to £50 or less, which it is hoped will convince would-be travelers that such trips are not worthwhile.

4. To divert coal and raw materials into the principal export industries at the expense of home production which was just beginning to relieve some of the country's wartime austerity.

"TERRIBLE TIME"

Will Lawther, president of the National Union of Mineworkers, who was one of the miners' leaders summoned to a cabinet meeting Tuesday, declared Britain's future depended upon coal alone and predicted a "terrible time ahead."

Among imports expected to be left intact are tobacco and movies, while the question of dollar costs for the occupation of Germany is highly complex and not yet decided.

Within these outlines, the precise figures of the various immediate cuts are uncertain.

Immediate import cuts amounting to a saving of £70,000,000 within six months, regarded as the scale on which the cabinet is planning, would almost certainly imply a reduction in the meat ration, already down to 1s 2d (about 25 cents) a week.

The expected cuts in the armed forces will probably take the form of a speed-up in the present demobilization scheme. Informed circles regarded a speed-up as particularly likely in the Mediterranean area, where British forces in Austria and Venezia Giulia are consuming large amounts of dollars.

Remaining British troops in Greece are certain to be brought home quickly. No plans, however, so far seem to have been agreed for any immediate reduction of occupation forces in Palestine and Germany.

Russia Objects To Mediation For Indonesians

LAKE SUCCESS (AP)—Russia charged today that a United States offer to mediate the undeclared war in Indonesia was a "means of circumventing" the United Nations and demanded that the Security Council itself take "binding" action.

The surprise Soviet move seriously complicated the mediation plan, which already had been accepted by the Netherlands government.

Soviet delegate Andrei A. Gromyko agreed with the United States that the council should act immediately to order a cessation of hostilities, but he urged the council to go slow on the question of mediation.

Although not stating definitely that he would oppose mediation, Gromyko raised strong objections, including his charge the move would pass the U.N. He said it also would give the Dutch an advantage over the Indonesians because they could start the negotiations from their present military positions.

ACCUSE HOLLAND
He charged the Netherlands government with a clear "breach of peace" and said the Security Council would be "shirking" its obligations if it failed to make a binding decision.

Gromyko took the floor after the United States had called on the council to order an immediate cessation of hostilities to prepare the way for mediation.

Herschel V. Johnson, deputy U.S. delegate, made his demand after Dr. Eelco N. Van Kleffens, Netherlands Ambassador in Washington, had accepted the U.S. mediation offer.

Johnson told the council the U.S. offer of "good offices" also

went to the de facto government of the Indonesian Republic, whose forces are fighting the Dutch.

No representative of the Indonesian government has arrived here yet. A dispatch from Batavia, however, quoted A. K. Gani, Deputy Premier of the Indonesian Republic, as expressing the belief his government would accept mediation conditionally.

Gani, a prisoner of the Dutch, said the Indonesians probably would demand that the Dutch return to them the areas occupied during the fighting before they would agree to mediation.

GLAD TO ACCEPT

Van Kleffens said he had been authorized by The Hague to say the Netherlands "gladly accepts" the mediation offer and that his government was ready to enter into consultations with United States officials immediately.

This morning's session was to be followed by an afternoon council meeting to take up Greek charges that Yugoslavia, Bulgaria and Albania have committed acts of aggression—a move instituted by Greece with United States backing to counter a Russian veto of a U.S. proposal to place U.N. trouble-shooters along the Balkan borders.

222 Polio Cases Across Canada This Year So Far With 5 Deaths

By CANADIAN PRESS

Infantile paralysis has claimed five lives across Canada in more than 220 cases in the first seven months of this year, a Canadian Press survey showed today.

Two of the deaths occurred in Ontario, one at Timmins and one at Toronto, and the other three were in the prairie provinces.

Hardest hit has been western Canada, with 169 cases, while Ontario and the east reported 53. British Columbia's total of 91, Manitoba's 50 and Ontario's 38 show a decreasing incidence of the disease from west to east. Exceptions to this pattern, however, are Saskatchewan with 20 cases and Alberta with only eight.

Official figures for Quebec were not available, but authorities said Thursday there was no threat of an epidemic in the province this year. Montreal has recorded two cases.

New Brunswick has six and Nova Scotia seven, while Prince Edward Island—where a summer epidemic had already caused two deaths by this time last year—is so far polio-free.

British Columbia's total is an all-time high for that province. Vancouver alone reports 67 persons stricken, compared with only one up to July 31 last year.

Two deaths have occurred so far this year in Manitoba—a boy and a girl, both 14 years old. In the Greater Winnipeg area there have been 31 cases, and other Manitoba points report as follows: Brandon, six; Portage la Prairie, five; Gladstone, two; Letellier, St. Claude, Blanchard, North Norfolk, South Norfolk, St. Clements, one each.

The third 1947 polio death was in Saskatchewan, where Regina has had nine cases and Moose Jaw two. There were four deaths in the 38 cases which occurred in Saskatchewan during 1946.

Of Alberta's eight cases, five are in the Edmonton area and two in Stettler district. At this time last year there were 19 cases in Alberta and a total of 22 were recorded by the end of the year.

G.M.C. Cars Go Up 2 To 6% In Price

DETROIT (AP)—General Motors Corporation announced today a 2-to-6-per cent increase in the list prices of all passenger cars, effective immediately.

"Price adjustments on specific models and body styles will be established individually by the divisions involved," the announcement said.

Cadillac, Buick, Oldsmobile, Pontiac and Chevrolet passenger cars were affected.

President C. E. Wilson said the company's first general price boost since last November was necessitated because "increased costs of both labor and materials now are too great for General Motors to possibly absorb through improved processing and the use of better machines and tools, or from any potential increase in volume."

U.S. Senator Answers Hughes' Charges



Owen Brewster, Maine Republican and chairman of the U.S. Senate War Investigating Committee in a press conference at Washington, answered charges made by plane manufacturer Howard Hughes that Brewster had offered to call off a subcommittee probe into Hughes' wartime dealings if Hughes would agree to merge T.W.A. with Pan American Airways and support Brewster's community airlines bill.

British Post In Jerusalem Attacked; Shots At Tel Aviv

JERUSALEM (AP)—A British regimental headquarters here was attacked today with grenades and mortars and one attacker was killed, while in Tel Aviv several Jews were reported wounded by gunfire from a British armored car which created panic among a funeral procession of 5,000 Jews.

Five grenade and mortar explosions heralded an attack on headquarters of the Hampshire Regiment, only 200 yards from the Jewish Agency.

Two suspected attackers were captured alive. No casualties among the Hampshire were announced.

Alarm sirens summoned troops to action stations and the area was cordoned off as police began rounding up men for questioning. About 200 persons were held for screening.

SCORE REPORTED HURT

In Tel Aviv, private sources said three bursts of gunfire from an armored car manned by policemen wounded several persons in the funeral procession for five

Jewish victims of reprisal shootings Thursday night. A score of Jews were wounded in Thursday night's shootings, which a reliable source attributing to Tommies bent on revenge for the hanging by Irgun Zvai Leumi, Jewish underground organization, of two British sergeants at Natanya. Palestine police have begun an investigation of the shootings.

As the funeral procession, led by the chief rabbi and the city councilors, approached the Great Synagogue, an armored car allegedly manned by British police moved toward it, its Bren guns manned and swinging in arcs. The informants said shots came from the car as it withdrew.

The attack on the Hampshire Regiment headquarters here was made against the entrance to the perimeter of its defenses. The attackers threw two mattresses over the barbed wire and tossed in a grenade in an attempt to breach the defenses. One of the attackers was shot four times, and he was found lying in the street, a grenade clutched in his hand and a Sten gun magazine in his hip pocket.

8 Apartment Houses Evacuated

A suspicious-looking package was found under one of the mattresses, and sappers investigated it as police instituted the search for the attackers. Eight apartment houses were evacuated of all tenants except for one ill woman, and the places were searched.

Both the army and police at first denied their men were implicated.

The funerals of the two British sergeants, with several high military and civil officials attending, were held today in the Ramle military cemetery. A booby trap mutilated the men's bodies as they were being removed Thursday from two eucalyptus trees north of Tel Aviv near Natanya.

The funerals of the five Jews killed in Tel Aviv, all Jewish coastal city northwest of Jerusalem, were scheduled there at 2 p.m. Mayor Israel Rokach called for a two-hour work stoppage afterward in mourning for the five.

The Tel Aviv informant said at least eight armored cars opened fire in the city Thursday night. The shooting was said to have lasted several hours.

About 400 British troops attended the funeral services today for their two slain comrades. A Roman Catholic requiem mass was sung for Sgt. Martin, and the Church of England service was conducted for Paice.

ARABS AT FUNERAL

Sherwood Foresters formed the honor guard which fired farewell volleys over the graves. Representatives of the Palestine government and the High Commissioner attended and a number of Arab friends of the two sergeants were present.

Reuter's news agency reported that a British army headquarters statement issued today said that no British troops were in Tel

Aviv Thursday night. The police statement described the rioters as men "wearing army uniform and civilian clothes."

Reuter's said police and army units in the Tel Aviv area were ordered today to make immediate roll calls and weapons and ammunition checks. A police statement said that a check of all armored cars used by Tel Aviv police showed none of their weapons had been fired.)

The informant said soldiers fired on two buses, killing two women, two men and a young boy and wounding other Jews, and smashed store windows all along the street, causing property damage of \$100,000.

Parade Tomorrow Navy Week Prelude

Prelude to the Navy Week celebrations here next week, the H.M.C.S. Naden band, a platoon of seamen and several floats will parade through downtown Victoria streets Saturday morning.

The parade will start at 10.30 from Herald Street and will include floats displaying special naval equipment such as used by divers and firefighters.

A sound truck detailing information on the proceedings during Navy Week will follow the floats. Programs will be distributed from a jeep, proceeds of the sale going to the Navy League of Canada.

Route of the parade will be along Herald, Douglas, Yates, Blanshard, Fort and Douglas, back to Herald Street.

Highlight of the Navy Week celebrations will be a visit Monday of H.M.S. Kenya—marking the first peacetime visit of a Royal Navy ship since 1939.

Hart Announces Cost-Of-Living Bonus To Stay

British Columbia's old age pensioners will receive up to a maximum of \$40 a month, retroactive to May 1, Premier John Hart announced this afternoon.

This new maximum is a result of an agreement between the B.C. and Dominion governments and the provincial cabinet's decision to continue the \$10 a month cost-of-living bonus.

The agreement between the province and Dominion likewise brings into effect modified regulations which will increase the number of old age pensioners from more than 18,000 at the present time to 25,000.

Premier Hart explained that the present maximum old age pension is \$35 a month. This is made up of \$25 a month of which the Dominion bears 75 per cent and the province 25 per cent, and the \$10 a month cost-of-living bonus borne solely by the province.

An increase in the statutory pension from \$25 a month to \$30 was made at the recently-promulgated session of the Dominion government. This increase, plus the continued cost-of-living bonus, brings the maximum old age pension in this province to \$40 a month.

B.C. GIVES \$17.50
Of the maximum \$35 a month allowance now paid, the provincial contribution is \$16.25 and the Dominion contribution \$18.75. Under the increase pension of \$40 a month, the province will contribute \$17.50 and the Dominion \$22.50, Mr. Hart explained.

He said that at the present time, there were more than 18,000 old age pensioners in B.C. but "it is anticipated, however, that with the modifications in regulations between 6,000 and 7,000 more persons over 70 years of age will become eligible for old age pensions or partial pensions, thus bringing the total number of persons in receipt of allowances to 25,000."

At the present time, the province pays to old age pensioners the sum of \$3,100,000, made up as follows: 25 per cent share of statutory pensions, \$1,100,000; cost-of-living bonus, \$2,000,000.

It is estimated that, under the new arrangements, the cost to the province will rise to \$4,800,000 made up as follows: \$2,000,000, representing 25 per cent of the statutory pension, and \$2,800,000, representing the cost-of-living bonus.

Under the new arrangements the old age pensioners will receive a total of \$10,500,000 which includes the Dominion's contribution toward the statutory pension.

"It has been our policy to press Ottawa for higher pensions, and on a contributory basis," the Premier said.

"We shall continue our policy on behalf of old age pensioners until some definite arrangement has been made whereby the means test is removed and the pension made payable to all.

RETROACTIVE TO MAY
"Owing to the large number of persons and the great amount of detail involved it will not be possible to issue all cheques on the new basis at once.

"However, the work will be pressed forward as quickly as possible and the increased amounts will ultimately show on pensioners' cheques on the basis of payment being made retroactive to May 1," the Premier concluded.

Fear Grips All Russians Says Munro After Visit

LATEST

Heads Delegation

WASHINGTON (AP)—State Secretary Marshall will head an official U.S. delegation of six to the Inter-American Defence Conference at Rio de Janeiro, the State Department announced this afternoon.

Offer Jews Deal

PORT DE BOUC, France (AP)—British and French authorities were reported today discussing a deal whereby 4,500 Jewish refugees would be guaranteed a high priority rating in Palestine immigration quotas if they disembark at once from the three British ships on which they are staging a sitdown off this port.

6th Producing Well

EDMONTON (CP)—The Leduc sector of the Edmonton oilfield had its sixth producing oil well on test production today after a successful debut Thursday. By this morning Imperial Oil Ltd. No. 6 had produced 211 barrels, running wide open.

Record Fish Cargo

The packer Co-operative Four, of the Kyuquot Trollers Co-operative Association, arrived here today with 170,000 pounds of salmon, believed to be the biggest load ever delivered to a B.C. port. The cargo is valued at approximately \$47,000.

GALT (CP)—There is a haunting cloud of fear over Russia that is like the smell of death on a battlefield, Ross Munro, recently returned European correspondent of the Canadian Press, said in a Kiwanis Club address here today.

In opening a speaking tour of Canada, Mr. Munro said that one of the sharpest single impressions he had of Russia "is the fear psychosis among the people from the top to the bottom.

"In no other country I visited, apart from Poland, did I feel that fear so underlined the existence of a nation. In Russia a citizen is afraid to talk too much, or too little. He fears losing his job, his ration card. He fears for the welfare of his family or he fears for his life.

"And the fear is not confined to the ordinary people. It reaches into the Kremlin in the leaders' fear of aggression from outside."

Mr. Munro said the militantly defensive Russian foreign policy developed "from an incredible distrust and suspicion and monumental ignorance of what goes on outside the country; it develops from an incredible misunderstanding of western policy and western principles and the western way of life.

"The wall around the Kremlin is more than just a red-brick rampart. It is a wall of almost unbelievable ignorance of the real motives and desires and hopes of the rest of the world."

Reports of Russian representatives abroad were either completely ignored or the representatives were telling the Kremlin only what the Russian bosses wanted to read, "disregarding the truth altogether." Day after day Russian newspapers printed "nauseating nonsense" about Britain and the United States and the Russians believed it because they had no other sources of information. "The world outside is painted corrupt and evil and like a vulture poised to strike at the Soviet Union when the time is ripe."

Coal Dust Blast Rips Building, Killing Ten



Police and volunteer workers remove an injured victim from the basement of a Harrisonburg, Va., building which housed a beauty shop, which was completely demolished by a coal dust explosion. Ten women were killed and about 40 injured. Blast blew out the back wall of the building and so wrecked the front wall that a crane had to be used to remove the hazard.

Refuses To Delay Trial Of Nanaimo Laundry Strikers

NANAIMO (CP)—Request for a stay of proceedings in the trial of 22 women employees of the Nanaimo Laundry of Nanaimo, charged with striking illegally, was refused Thursday at the opening of the trial centering around British Columbia's new Industrial Conciliation Arbitration Act.

Highlights of the day's proceedings—which arose from the strike started June 9 when the workers walked out of the laundry in protest over dismissal of two employees because of unsanctioned absence from work—came when spectators applauded a remark of Magistrate Beavor Potts, who warned that the court would be cleared at any repetition of the disturbance.

The applause came when Magistrate Potts said he refused to accept the situation where he was asked to accept evidence that the Minister of Labor had given approval of a change in bargaining agents—of the Laundry

Workers' Union (C.C.L.), by word of mouth only.

"It may be that the department was overloaded with work, but in my opinion this was a very slipshod method in view of the importance to these people who now stand charged," the magistrate said.

R. J. McMaster, representing the strikers, earlier had contended that Hon. E. T. Kenny, Acting Minister of Labor, had acted beyond his administrative capacity in making a certain "status" decision.

On these grounds a stay of proceedings should be granted until a conciliation board ruled on the matters, he said.

The court did not concur. Barry H. Gault, chief executive officer of the Industrial Conciliation and Arbitration Act, as crown witness, identified documents dealing with inception of the union local, its formal recognition by the Labor Department, and changed personnel of its bargaining agents.

H. Cuthbert Holmes, president of the Victoria Chamber of Commerce, will represent Victoria at the annual meeting of the Canadian Chamber of Commerce to be held in Quebec, Oct. 7, 8 and 9.

Weather

Weather today and tomorrow, valid until midnight Aug. 2:

Synopsis—Skies are cloudy on the west coast but the remainder of Vancouver Island and the lower mainland and the interior will enjoy another day of clear skies and warm weather. There is little indication of any marked change in most areas of B.C. during the next 48 hours.

Vancouver and vicinity, lower Fraser Valley, Georgia Straits—Clear today. Variable cloudiness tonight and early Saturday morning, clearing by noon. Winds light. Continuing warm.

West Coast Vancouver Island—Overcast, clearing afternoon. Cloudy tonight and early Saturday, clearing by noon. Drifting fog patches off shore occasionally moving inland during the night. Winds light. Little change in temperature.

	To 9 a.m. P.D.T. Today	Min.	Max.	Precip.
Montreal	44	30	50	
Toronto	44	30	50	
North Bay	40	26	46	
Port Arthur	37	23	41	
Kansas	38	24	52	
Winnipeg	37	23	51	
Brandon	34	20	48	
The Pas	30	16	44	
Regina	37	23	51	
Saskatoon	32	18	46	
Prince Albert	31	17	45	
N. Battleford	26	12	40	
Swift Current	23	9	37	
Medicine Hat	24	10	38	
Lethbridge	26	12	40	
Calgary	30	16	44	
Edmonton	30	16	44	
Kamloops	34	20	48	
Penticton	33	19	47	
Cranbrook	47	33	61	
Crescent Valley	47	33	61	
Prince Rupert	46	32	60	
Seattle	49	35	63	
Portland	56	42	70	
Spokane	57	43	71	
Chicago	50	36	64	
San Francisco	59	45	73	
Los Angeles	62	48	76	
New York	63	49	77	
Vancouver	61	47	75	
Victoria	54	40	68	

Leaves Engineer's Cab



Charles Oswald Richards, who has been handling E. and N. locomotives for 48 years, receives congratulations from John A. Kennedy, railway superintendent, as he left his cab on arrival from Nanaimo Thursday to go into retirement. Born at Nant, Wrexham, Eng., July 3, 1882, Charlie Richards, who resides at 541 Dalton Street, came to Canada as a youth and commenced working as an engine wiper for the E. and N. March 30, 1899, when the Dunsmuir's operated the railway. Nine months later he was made locomotive fireman and on Sept. 1, 1905, was promoted to engineer. He has been on the Victoria-Courtenay run for many years and yesterday completed his last trip on the southbound passenger train.

Saskatchewan C.C.F. Asks Security Laws For City Homeowners

SASKATOON (CP)—The Saskatchewan C.C.F. convention Thursday night urged the provincial government to consider extension of farm security legislation to urban home owners and asked the federal government to set up a livestock and livestock products board similar to the Wheat Board.

Delegates supported Prairie Farm Security Act sections ruled ultra vires of the provincial government, and now awaiting a Privy Council hearing in London, by which farm mortgage indebtedness is automatically reduced in crop failure years, and asked that similar steps be taken for urban dwellers.

A federal subsidy on wheat to bring the domestic and British prices up to existing world levels requested and the provincial government was asked to establish a co-operative meat-packing plant.

Delegates passed a resolution recommending that profits from liquor sales be used for temperance campaigns, but rejected one asking the government to refrain from making announcements regarding sales of liquor which tended to promote sales.

They rejected another resolution which asked removal of legislation by which all residents of a rural municipality can be forced to become members of the United Farmers of Canada.

Plan \$400,000 New Solarium Building

Plans are under way for the building of a \$400,000 hospital for which it is hoped can be started the Queen Alexandra Solarium, in about two years, Walter Luney, chairman of the Solarium Board of Governors, said today.

Mr. Luney said that plans have not progressed as far as the board would like but a special committee is studying them. He stressed that the proposed structure must be adaptable to expansion in future years because the board cannot afford to build for any more than 100 children at present.

Biggest problem at present, he

said, is maintenance, as the Solarium only gets 70 cents a day for each child from the provincial government and all other costs must be raised by private subscription. This it is estimated it will take \$130,000 to operate. Plans are nearly complete for the new nurses' home, Mr. Luney reported, for which the Victoria Gyro Club is paying construction costs. Tenders will be called shortly.

The West Vancouver Lions Club has agreed to donate \$50,000 toward the cost of the new hospital building.

The kitchen at the Solarium is being remodeled extensively, he said, with a new electric cooking range being installed.

Girl, 13, Ends Life

PHOENIX, Ariz. (AP)—Coroner Wesley Bolla reported Thursday 13-year-old Evelyn Williams ended her life by swallowing poison after saying she was tired of caring for her three brothers and three sisters while her parents worked.

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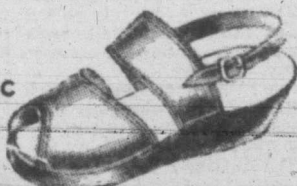
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Printers' Picnic

The Allied Printing Trades Council, representing all branches of the printing industry in Victoria, will hold their annual picnic at Goldstream Hotel picnic grounds Sunday. Buses will leave from Broad and View Streets at 10 in the morning. A good sports program has been lined up, including a softball game between government printing and job offices and newspaper office staffs.

Queen Mary Sails

SOUTHAMPTON, Eng. (AP)—Cheering crowds and circling planes saw the 81,235-ton Queen Mary off Thursday on her first postwar voyage to New York as a passenger liner.

The reconverted-Cunard liner, second biggest afloat, is due to reach New York Aug. 5.

The head of the Statue of Liberty in New York harbor can accommodate 40 persons standing upright.

Beauty Plus Talent To Qualify As 'Miss Canada'



McMaster University co-ed and Miss Central Ontario, Muriel Hunter, 20, is one of the entrants in "Miss Canada" beauty contest at Hamilton, Aug. 21-22. Talent counts high in choosing "Miss Canada." Ollie Taciuk of Hamilton hopes for a singing career.

Royal Wedding Set For Nov. 20 In Abbey Palace Announces

LONDON (Reuter)—The wedding of Princess Elizabeth, heir presumptive to the British throne, and Lieut. Philip Mountbatten will take place in Westminster Abbey Nov. 20, it was officially announced from Buckingham Palace tonight.

The wedding will take place at 11.30 a.m.

Announcement of the date followed the formal consent of the King at a meeting of the Privy Council Thursday morning at the palace.

It will be the first royal wedding in Westminster Abbey since the late Duke of Kent was married there 13 years ago.

It is expected the marriage will be solemnized by the Archbishop of Canterbury, assisted by the Dean of Westminster, with the Archbishop of York taking part in the service.

Further details of the wedding plans will be issued later. Arrangements have been made to display the princess' wedding presents in the state rooms of St. James' Palace, where, following precedent, the public will be admitted to view them on pay-

ment of sum to be devoted to charity.

The princess is following the example of her two uncles, the Duke of Gloucester and the late Duke of Kent, each of whom married in November. Plans for an abbey wedding for the Duke of Gloucester were canceled because of the death of the Duchess's father.

The engagement between 21-year-old Princess Elizabeth and 26-year-old Lieut. Mountbatten, formerly Prince Philip of Greece, was announced July 9, climaxing months of rumors and denials.

\$92,180 Salvage To Ship And Crew

LONDON (AP)—The Admiralty division of the High Court today granted awards totaling £23,045 (\$92,180) for salvage of the American Farmer, 8,200-ton United States Lines cargo vessel abandoned last August after a collision in the Atlantic.

The awards included £3,600 to the owners of the Elizabeth, 2,000-ton Cardiff steamship which attempted to tow the damaged ship to port. Capt. James Millers, bearded master of the Elizabeth, received £360 and members of his crew £1,350.

Capt. Millers declared he could have completed the tow if a boarding party from the American Ranger, sister ship of the

Greece Charges Aggression Against Russian Satellites

LAKE SUCCESS (AP)—Greece formally charged Russia's three Balkan satellites today with aggression in a drastic new move aimed at countering the Soviet Union's veto of a United States proposal for an 11-member United Nations' border commission.

Greek Ambassador Vassili Dendramis handed the complaint to Ivan Kerno, assistant secretary general, as the United Nations' Security Council met to consider the Indonesian and Balkan cases.

Dendramis said he submitted the complaint under chapter VII of the U.N. charter.

Sentence Commuted

OLYMPIA (AP)—Governor Wallgren Thursday commuted to life imprisonment the sentence of Garland Wilson, convicted slayer of a Seattle meat market operator, previously scheduled to die Friday.

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Children's Holiday Travel Puts Kinks In Britain's Polio Control

LONDON (CP)—Children coming and going on their holidays today presented authorities with a problem resulting from the current infantile paralysis threat and muddled reception arrangements.

Some 500 children from London, Glasgow and other towns bound for Belgium as guests of the Belgian people had their trip canceled at the last moment at the request of the Belgian health minister, who feared the disease would spread.

Two hundred in another party were turned back at Ostend, Belgium, for the same reason and emergency accommodation had to be provided at Dover.

The unprecedented influx of children from the continent under a scheme sponsored by the World Friendship Association, a non-profit organization, resulted in the break-down of plans and hundreds of Dutch and Danish children had to spend one night and sometimes more in underground British shelters until billets were found.

The children traveled under an exchange holiday scheme—"you stay with my folks and I'll stay with yours"—by which 16,000 Belgian, Danish, Dutch and British children visited foreign countries last year.

This year there were 40,000 applications and due to swamped facilities, many arrivals were not met by the Britons supposed to take them in.

Infantile paralysis continues to spread throughout the United Kingdom and there are 100 actual or supposed cases in London hospitals. Cases were reported in several large schools before the week-end break-up, including Rugby, which had to cancel a scheduled cricket match with Harrow.

\$13,005,000 Grant For Austrian Aid

WASHINGTON (AP)—The Export-Import Bank announced Thursday grant of \$13,005,000 to finance shipments of "urgently needed materials and equipment" for enterprises in Austria.

The money is to finance eight projects covering "minimum import requirements of specified enterprises" in these fields: alloy steel, electrical machinery and apparatus, non-ferrous metals, machinery and vehicles, and chemicals.

Mayor Urges Jobs Again For Strikers

NANAIMO (CP)—Mayor George Muir Thursday suggested that strikers at the Imperial Laundry plant be given back their jobs and the dispute concerning dismissal of two women workers be arbitrated.

The strike started over the discharge of the women workers, the company claiming they had been absent without permission.

Mayor Muir said a union official had consented to attend a meeting to discuss a settlement formula, but the laundry owners so far had refused.

Shades Of V-J Day Prevail At Nanaimo

NANAIMO (CP)—Shades of V-J Day are still prevailing here with a report that an old coal mine pithead which was lit at the signing of World War II armistice is still burning.

The fire, known by residents as "Piper's Torch" after Phil Piper, who planned the celebration, has been smouldering in subterranean coal deposits, sending puffs of smoke over the harbor.

Underground air currents caused by the wind and tide have often fanned the flames into life.

New Austerities For British Folk Planned By Attlee

LONDON (CP)—Prime Minister Attlee next week will announce the government's emergency plan to meet Britain's drastic dollar shortage.

Details of the program are uncertain, but one thing is definite—the little man is bound to suffer.

Sharp cuts in imports, including food, a reduction in overseas expenditures by the military and by British civilians, channeling of more goods from home to export markets all will be essential, a treasury spokesman forecast Thursday.

(Merrill Mueller, NBC correspondent in London, said in a broadcast to New York Wednesday night that "Britain will be broke in 100 days so Prime Minister Attlee (Wednesday) put Britain on a crisis economy plan, effective immediately.")

(Mueller, who did not give the sources for his analysis, said that Attlee had lined up a "plan of bitter pauper austerity" to eliminate Britain's "daily \$1,000,000 deficit.")

Subsidy On Feed Grains Continues

OTTAWA (CP)—Acting Agriculture Minister Bertrand announced Thursday afternoon that subsidy on feed grains will be continued "until the ceilings on all major animal products are removed."

The announcement was made after a meeting of the cabinet and followed representations by Ontario farmers for continuation of the subsidy, which amounts to 25 cents a bushel each on barley and wheat and 10 cents on oats when fed to livestock and poultry.

Mr. Bertrand said: "The need for continuing the payment of subsidies on feed grain has been reviewed. Having in mind the present disappointing crop prospects and the delayed harvesting of the hay crop in eastern Canada, the government has given assurance that payment of subsidies on feed wheat, oats and barley will not be withdrawn until the ceilings on all major animal products are removed."

In addition, as announced previously, the government will continue to pay until July 31, 1948, a freight assistance subsidy on feed grains.

2 Truck Riders Die In Saskatchewan Crash

CLAVET, Sask. (CP)—Two persons were killed and two seriously injured late Tuesday night when a truck overturned near this village, 18 miles southeast of Saskatoon.

Ole Kaun, 22, of Clavet, Sask., and Florence Bilske, of Warman, were killed and Ruth Kaun, the dead man's sister, and Carol Kendrick, both of Clavet, were injured.

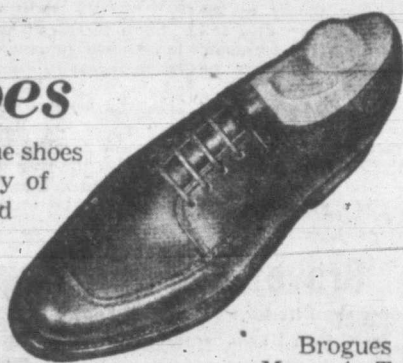
The accident occurred 100 yards from Kaun's home as the party was returning from a sports meet at nearby Elstow in a truck driven by Harold Heuchert of Clavet. Those killed were riding in the rear of the truck.

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MEDIATION IN INDONESIA?

ONE OF SEVERAL OF THE ARMED conflicts disturbing the peace in various parts of this troubled planet may soon be brought to an end by an arrangement under which the United States would exercise her good offices in the "undeclared" war in Indonesia. At last night's session of the Security Council the American deputy-delegate to this important body offered mediation on behalf of the Washington government. And this morning, Dr. Eelco van Kleffens, The Netherlands ambassador to the United States, informed the Council that his country had accepted the proposal.

Apart from the fact that the Dutch government must have noted with considerable concern the outspoken statement issued by Britain's Foreign Secretary Bevin earlier this week—that his government would no longer be a party to the shipment of any materials of war to Indonesia—it is fair to assume that the majority of the peace-loving people of Holland are seriously troubled by conditions far away from their homeland. Those who have lived through the horror of the Nazi occupation have a vivid idea of what is transpiring in Indonesia. They require no tutelage in the brutality of war. Nor could the Dutch people have a more ardent advocate of peace than Dr. van Kleffens; his wide knowledge of international affairs and his outstanding linguistic attainments lend persuasive weight to his personal influence.

It does not follow that the new crop of suspicion and bitterness engendered by this "undeclared" war in Indonesia will be quickly dispelled. A good deal of blood already has been spilled and much valuable treasure dissipated. This is another case of an old system, outmoded in many instances by the sheer force of evolutionary processes, trying to change the course of destiny. All the world, therefore, will watch with interest and sympathy the proceedings that are now likely to develop from the American offer of mediation and the prompt Dutch acceptance of the arrangement.

APPLES FOR BRITAIN

IN PREWAR YEARS BRITISH COLUMBIANS found deep satisfaction in sending boxes of this province's excellent apples to friends in Britain. The fruit was received with sincere appreciation across the Atlantic and contributed substantially to the variety of the British diet. Recollection of the enthusiasm with which recipients reported arrival of this B.C. produce in happier days will give an additional impetus to the plan now under way to send 5,000 cases cost-free to Britain as a gesture of good will and as the possible initiation of a Dominion-wide "lend-lease for peace" move.

If the apples were so welcome before, little imagination is required to picture the receptions such gifts would be accorded now. To the drab table that austerity-bound Britain can offer at the present, donations by Canadians could lend color and nutriment. The idea is excellently conceived.

The proposal is one embodying the spirit of that "strong bond of sympathy with Great Britain" which North Vancouver's Mayor Jack Loutet noted in his endorsement of the scheme. It calls for a generous gesture on the part of Canadians. Yet it should not be regarded entirely as an example of altruism. Britain, with her shaky dollar-scarce economy, is in no position now to purchase British Columbia apples. When her existing financial difficulties are overcome, however, the action of those who helped her in time of need will not be forgotten. It is logical to expect a restored market for the fruit when conditions improve. Similarly, the application of the suggested apple policy to other commodities produced here, but denied Britain through sharp curtailment of imports, should not go without recognition in days to come.

TWO VOICES

DURING THE LAST YEAR OR SO MR. M. J. Coldwell, national leader of the C.C.F. party, must have found it difficult on numerous occasions to keep his provincial spokesman in line with his own points of view. When he spoke to the Canadian people over the airways on Tuesday night, the member for Rosemont-Biggar repudiated all suggestions that his organization had or would have anything to do with Communism, and intimated that "it will seek to remove the economic chaos and human misery in which all modern Communist movements are founded."

We have heard all this before. Canada's third-party disciples are long on generalities. They evidently like the sound of them. But it is scarcely likely that Mr. Coldwell missed the implication of the large advertisements which appeared in the newspapers

on this coast about a couple of weeks ago. These included pictures of Mr. Harold Winch, leader of the C.C.F. opposition in the Provincial Legislature; Mr. Alex McAuslane, national vice-president of the Canadian Congress of Labor (C.I.O.); and Mr. Nigel Morgan, provincial leader of the Labor-Progressive Party and that section of Canadian Trades Unionism which seems to be closely allied with the followers of Mr. Tim Buck and his associates. If the latter do not come within the category of the "extreme left" in Canadian political life, it is for Mr. Coldwell to explain the difference in philosophic outlook between the Labor-Progressive Party and those avowed disciples of Moscow's particular brand of politics.

The three-party alliance to which we have referred, of course, owed its origin to a carefully-developed hostility to that part of British Columbia's new Labor legislation which is commonly known as "Bill No. 39." It is nevertheless Mr. Winch's business if he feels like throwing his own and his party's fortunes in with those of the Labor-Progressive Party—regardless of whether or not it be for the development of a national policy which obviously will conflict with the statements to which Mr. Coldwell gave expression on his radio broadcast. But it would seem prudent in the interests of their own political future that the national and the British Columbia leaders of Canada's third party get together and make up their minds what should or should not be said to the general public.

PROBLEM REMAINS

THE PLIGHT OF 400,000 DISPLACED persons in Europe—mostly Poles and Balts—will continue indefinitely in the balance as a result of the failure of the United States Congress to implement the Stratton Bill. The measure would have permitted 100,000 of these people to enter the United States each year for the next four years, cutting across the existing quotas. Action, if any, must now await the next session of Congress.

There was considerable support in favor of the bill, including an urgent appeal by President Truman early last month. Major church groups of all denominations in the United States, as well as numerous public figures, advocated its passage. But there was opposition, too, and the legislation died in committee. The Manchester Guardian, viewing the thousands of European refugees to whom hard-pressed Britain has opened her doors in the last few years, commented today, "This hesitancy is not to the credit of Congress."

From the D.P.'s themselves, waiting hopefully for possible action, has come a complaint that pressure has been put on them to return to the Russian-dominated states from which they wish to escape. The Baltic Review, quoting from a publication, "The New Leader," said recently:

"It is a monstrous hypocrisy to talk of the right of asylum when we give the refugees from Soviet terror no alternative but repatriation. It is hypocrisy to protest against forced repatriation and then to break people into accepting repatriation by measures of psychological duress. And it is sheer nonsense to spend \$400,000,000 to combat the expansion of Communism in Europe while we insist on returning 1,000,000 anti-Communist refugees to the firing squads or slave labor gangs of the Soviet world."

The problem of the displaced persons, one of the major heritages of the war, is not one that will be solved in an easy manner, but it affects every nation of the western world. Official reluctance, lack of popular sympathy, racial, religious and other prejudices, all combine to delay solution. But when it is widely realized that many of these people, particularly from the Baltic countries, have much in talent, 'industriousness and appreciation of political freedom to offer their countries of adoption, the way will be made easier.

PERFECTION IN REVERSE

IN THESE DAYS WHEN THE PERFECT and near-perfect are so eagerly sought after and millions are spent in industry to eliminate flaws and errors, it is refreshing to recall that there is a widespread class of enthusiasts to whom a mistake or a slip is a thing of value, and a downright blunder a pearl of great price. We refer to the category of philatelists, who subject all new issues of postage stamps to a close scrutiny in the hope of discovering a flaw in the printing plate which will give a stamp the prized quality of uniqueness, and raise it in value far above its fellows, which to the layman's casual eye appear exactly similar.

The recent issue of the Dominion's special four-cent stamp commemorating the Citizenship Act provided a case in point. Experts were quick to spot the fact that a man's hand inclined in the design of the stamp contained only three fingers and a thumb. This little slip gave joy to many; but since the error was in the original drawing and hence every stamp contained it, it marked the entire issue and thus lost its value as a rarity. Somewhat similar was the Canadian issue some months ago which precipitated a dispute as to whether a plough turns the furrow to the right or to the left. Eventually it was ruled that either could be correct and thus another philatelic controversy was averted.

The much-sought-after prize, of course, is the occurrence of a flaw in only one stamp of the sheet, particularly if the nick or mark imparts an added though unintentional significance to the design. However, these are few and far between—to the sorrow of those who seek them but to the joy of the collector lucky enough to possess them. In any case, here is one hobby where the imperfect may be of more value than the perfect, and the marred article in greater demand than the complete.

Matter Of Fact

By JOSEPH and STEWART ALSOP

MANOEUVRES BEGIN

THE OHIO REPUBLICAN State Committee's unanimous pledge of support yesterday to Senator Robert A. Taft for the Republican Presidential nomination in 1948 has made his candidacy official. Taft now will retire to the refreshing airs of the Thousand Islands. Thence, in September, he will emerge restored and invigorated for a great, nationwide delegate hunt, which will not be called a delegate hunt. And in the intervals of stalking his big game, he will make speeches on important subjects, although his trip will not be called a pre-convention speaking tour.

IT WILL ALL BE STRICTLY in accord with the stern conventions of American presidential politics, which are as ludicrously formal, as comically unreal, as the ritual of the grand stag-hunts at the court of Louis XIV. But it will have one genuinely important and significant feature.

On the west coast, Taft is due to express himself on foreign policy. What Taft says in California will be binding upon him at the ensuing session of Congress. It will determine whether or not Taft stands with Senator Arthur H. Vandenberg on the Marshall plan. And this in turn will determine whether the Marshall plan is promptly passed, or becomes an issue of domestic politics. Thus it is a simple, practical fact that the position Taft takes will have the deepest bearing on the national future.

AS TAFT LEFT WASHINGTON, he was still keeping his own counsel. Yet there were surprisingly encouraging signs of the trend of his thought. Of these signs the most important was the establishment of a much closer relationship between Taft and Vandenberg in the closing weeks of the session. In the hurry, burly before the adjournment, Vandenberg, the Senate's presiding officer, and Taft, the unofficial floor leader, could not avoid working continuously together. This brought the new development. Intimacy replaced the relationship of the past, which was that between two co-ordinate, acknowledged, but distant and independent powers. The problems of foreign policy also began to be genuinely discussed between them. And as a result, those close to Taft believe there is reason to hope he will fight side by side with Vandenberg when Congress meets again.

AS OF NOW, IN FACT, the prediction is that in California Taft will at least not commit himself against the Marshall plan; will come out for European federation, which is a favorite scheme of his; and while making his usual obsequies to economy, will strike a generally non-isolationist note.

THIS AT ANY RATE, is the hope of the entourage of rather shrewd, previously inconspicuous advisers and technicians which Taft has built up for himself. At the moment, these men are decidedly cock-a-hoop. Governor Harold E. Stassen's remarkably ill-tempered statement, that nothing on earth would tempt him to run on the same ticket as Dewey, as dispelled the Taftian nightmare of a Dewey-Stassen alliance. While he achieved measurable successes, Dewey also stirred up some hornets' nests on his tour; and nothing gives a politician more pleasure than a rival giving a hornet's nest. Furthermore, there is increasing substance in the theory that General Douglas MacArthur may return before convention time for an imperial progress in this country, thus starting a MacArthur boom which will really be a Taft boom in disguise. This would give real life to the Taft-sponsored stop-Dewey movement.

IN THIS LAST CONNECTION, however, there arises the chief factor operating against Taft's taking a wise stand on foreign policy. The great MacArthur-first-Taft-second tub thumper is Col. Robert R. McCormick. Obviously the slightest sign that Taft is even vaguely aware of the international facts of life, will drive the peculiar pride of Illinois into one of those political rages beside which the rantings of the caged tiger seem trivial. The Colonel likes his candidates to think that babies are born under cabbage leaves, and he has already deprived Dewey of American citizenship and called Vandenberg a new Benedict Arnold, because they gave horrid signs of having heard about the political equivalent of the birds and flowers. Many of Taft's other supporters hold the views of McCormick.

THUS STRONG influence is already being brought to bear on Taft to stand as an avowed isolationist.

These worthies, however, really do not have anywhere else to go but Taft. And if Taft tries to please them, he may cause a national disaster in the next Congress, but he can never survive resulting embittered opposition of the more enlightened Republicans. Since he is human, this is another reason why he may make the wise choice.

Quoting

Collaboration with the Soviets cannot continue as a one-way traffic.—Anthony Eden, former British Foreign Secretary.

Both in the Soviet Union and in the United States there is too much talk about war and too little talk about peace.—James F. Byrnes, former Secretary of State.

All the nations of the world can live together peacefully if we use a little sense and cultivate common understanding.—General Eisenhower.

'Divorce Denied!'



What Shapes Soviet Foreign Policy

This is the second of two extracts from an article, "The Secret of Soviet Conduct," in the quarterly, "Foreign Affairs." The author is unnamed, but is believed to be an official of the United States State Department. The article therefore may reflect current official thinking in the United States.

WE HAVE SEEN how deeply the concept of the innate antagonism between capitalism and socialism has become embedded in the foundations of the Soviet's power. It has profound implications for Russia's conduct as a member of international society. It means that there can never be on Moscow's side any sincere assumption of a community of aims between the Soviet Union and powers which are regarded as capitalist.

It must invariably be assumed in Moscow that the aims of the capitalist world are antagonistic to the Soviet regime, and therefore to the interests of the peoples it controls. If the Soviet government occasionally sets its signature to documents which would indicate the contrary, this is to be regarded as a tactical manoeuvre permissible in dealing with the enemy (who is without honor) and should be taken in the spirit of caveat emptor.

NOT BE MISLED

Basically, the antagonism remains. It is postulated. And from it flow many of the phenomena which we find disturbing in the Kremlin's conduct of foreign policy: The secretiveness, the lack of frankness, the duplicity, the wary suspiciousness, and the basic unfriendliness of purpose.

These phenomena are there to stay, for the foreseeable future.

There can be variations of degree and of emphasis. When there is something the Russians want from us, one or the other of these features of their policy may be thrust temporarily into the background; and when that happens there will always be Americans who will leap forward with gleeful announcements that "the Russians have changed," and some who will even try to take credit for having brought about such "changes." But we should not be misled by tactical manoeuvres.

NO HURRY

These characteristics of Soviet policy, like the postulate from which they flow, are basic to the internal nature of Soviet power, and will be with us, whether in the foreground or the background, until the internal nature of Soviet power is changed.

This means that we are going to continue for a long time to find the Russians difficult to deal with. It does not mean that they should be considered as embarked on a do-or-die program to overthrow our society by a given date. The theory of the inevitability of the eventual fall of capitalism has the fortunate connotation that there is no hurry about it.

This brings us to the second of the concepts important to contemporary Soviet outlook. That is the infallibility of the Kremlin.

Once a given party line has

been laid down on a given issue of current policy, the whole Soviet governmental machine, including the mechanism of diplomacy, moves inexorably along the prescribed path, like a persistent toy automobile wound up and headed in a given direction, stopping only when it meets with some unanswerable force. The individuals who are the components of this machine are unamenable to argument or reason which comes to them from outside sources. Their whole training has taught them to mistrust and discount the glib persuasiveness of the outside world. Like the white dog before the phonograph, they hear only the "master's voice." And if they are to be called off from the purpose last dictated to them, it is the master who must call them off. Thus the foreign representative cannot hope that his words will make any impression on them. The most that he can hope is that they will be transmitted to those at the top, who are capable of changing the party line. But even those are not likely to be swayed by any normal logic in the words of the of the bourgeois representative.

FACTS NOT WORDS

Since there can be no appeal to common purposes, there can be no appeal to common mental approaches. For this reason, facts speak louder than words to the ears of the Kremlin; and words carry the greatest weight when they have the ring of reflecting, or being backed up by, facts of unchallengeable validity.

Global Survey

By DEWITT MACKENZIE
Associated Press Foreign
News Analyst

THE ENGLISH lad's dream of becoming a prince of industry has received another dash of cold water in further major nationalization by the Socialist government—this time the taking over of electricity generating and distributing companies.

Parliament has adopted the bill—barring some minor amendments—socializing 190 private concerns, at an estimated cost of \$1,400,000,000. The project will become effective next Jan. 1, and the government plans expansion to meet a critical need for more power.

Well, if nationalization results in unification of Britain's electric companies it will be a boon to the country, dreams or no dreams. In London, for instance, many separate concerns serve the world's greatest metropolis, and there is little uniformity. The family, or business, which moves even a block to a new home is likely to find that the electric current is A.C. whereas in the former place it may have been D.C. This means that all the electric machines have to be changed over at much cost and inconvenience.

Besides electricity, the Socialists have nationalized the coal mines, the Bank of England, inland transportation (rail, motor, waterways, ports), civil aviation and overseas communications (inland communications were taken over by the state long ago). The Socialist program still calls for nationalization of iron and steel, and the coal-gas industry, during the remaining three years of the present government's life.

If this program is achieved it will mean, according to government estimates, the nationalization of 20 per cent of business, leaving 80 per cent in private hands.

Whatever else may be the outcome, the consensus in Britain seems to be that the days of industrial prices are over. Some great fortunes still exist, but death duties will wipe them out in due course, and no more can be created. As a matter of fact, this was decreed long before the Socialists came to power. Terrific death duties and income taxes sounded the knell of really big money in individual hands.

So England has come close to the end of the grand parade of the Liptons, the Leverhulmes and countless other businessmen whose names have been household words around the world. Socialization and taxation are remodeling England fast.



EXPLANATION PLEASE

Winnipeg Free Press
In his interesting interview in this city Mr. E. P. Taylor, of Toronto, described himself as a 100 per cent free trader. Coming from one of Canada's foremost industrialists, this statement is very significant. But Mr. Taylor then went on to say "I guess if anything I'm a Drexwite." Has Premier Drexwite become an apostle of free trade? How does Mr. Taylor square his admiration for Ontario's premier, with his horror of high tariffs?

MOMENTOUS DEADLINE

Washington Post
The Bulletin of the Atomic Scientists has adopted as a symbolic design for its cover the hands of a clock pointed to a few minutes before 12. Better than any of us, the scientists know the imperatives inherent in the tremendous force they have unleashed upon the world. They know that a momentous deadline is approaching and that one way or another we shall have to deal with it.

FOR THE SOVIET FANS

Financial Post
The ardent exponents of all things Russian will not like the study of comparative prices and wages just released by the United States Department of Labor. According to that study the standard of living of the average American today is just about 1,000 per cent above that of the average Soviet citizen.

Two years after the war, the average Russian worker gets wages that will buy just about one-tenth of what can be purchased by the American worker. While prices of food in Russia have soared 166 per cent, wages have advanced 25 per cent.

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For Those Who 'Brave' The Highway

By ROY W. BROWN, Editorial Director, Vancouver Sun

WHEN VISITING American tourists so sharply criticize Vancouver Island highways I like to remind them of a certain season some years ago when new pavements were being laid in the area south of Bellinham.

Both north and south of Mount Vernon, motorists were detoured many miles out of their way over almost impassable turnpikes of the backwoods of Whatcom County, while excellent pavements were being installed on what is now the splendid road making the northern section of the famous Highway 99.

It is the same this year north of Nanaimo. Routes to Courtenay and Alberni are badly broken up while under reconstruction, and an added difficulty is that there are few alternate roads that can be used as detours. You have to proceed carefully, keeping a wary eye against ruts and holes and dodging the occasional bulldozer. But the outstanding impression I received going over this area recently is what a magnificent highway it is going to be a year hence when the work is finished and there will be a really modern road all the way from Victoria to Campbell River.

TAKE IT EASY

There is, of course, no satisfying the motorist who insists that it is a hardship to traverse a highway that will not safely

carry him 50 miles an hour. If you wish to keep in good temper traveling on the upper island this summer, you have got to make up your mind to get down to 25 miles an hour occasionally and face some dust for short spells.

If you can't endure that, you had better stay at home. But hundreds of tourists are getting along well by just taking it easy and spending about an hour longer than normal in the passage from Nanaimo to Courtenay. That is about all it amounts to.

The worst stretch covers about six miles just south of the seaport of Union Bay. Here a side-hill is being literally picked up by big machines and dumped to form a new highway along the beach. There is a new dirt surface each succeeding day, and a heavy rain does not help things. It takes 11 minutes by actual count to get over this bad spot and for a minute and a half we went into second gear so as to "take the bumps" easier. This was in the midst of heavy traffic both ways last Saturday afternoon.

The road at this point is going to be a seafarers' boulevard along the picturesque shores of Baynes Sound and a year from now it will be one of the most beautiful speedways in the province. The highway surface will be 30 feet above high tide along a beautiful beach, with the farm-dotted side-

hills of Denman Island two miles away across the channel. The scenic surroundings are thoroughly delightful.

AT 25 M.P.H.

Between Parksville and Nanaimo are 10 miles of reconstructed road which you had better take under a slow bell. It is wide and safe at 25 miles, which the signs warn you not to exceed. Some people who have tried to make 45 and 55 have suffered broken springs and other damage.

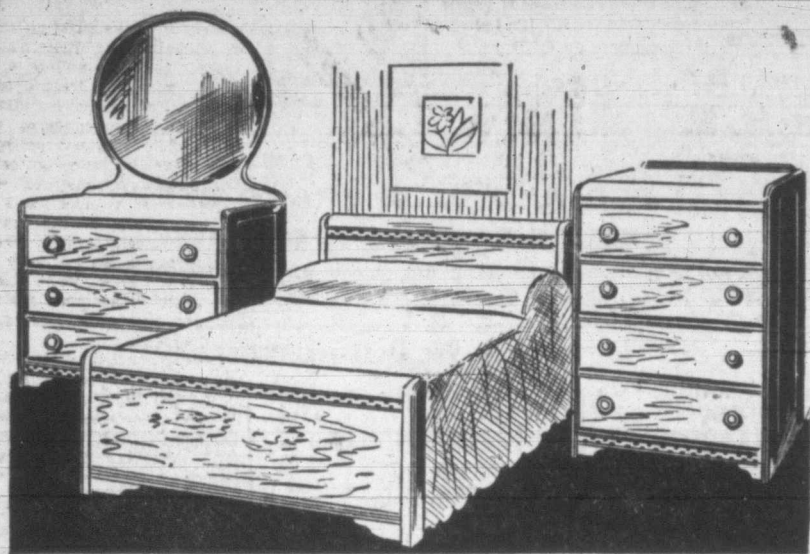
The fishing in the Comox-Campbell River area is good and will likely continue that way for another five weeks. One visitor from Vancouver, who prides himself on his efficiency, took an average of two salmon an hour each day. It is that good—if you know how.

WELCOME SIGN

If you think you have a date with a Comox blue-back or a Campbell River tyee, don't let the roads deter you from going. You will get through all right if you take it easy and realize that when the road signs call for 25 miles, they were placed there for a good purpose. Because the auto camps and eating spots are not over-crowded, you will get a special welcome and extra attention. That you have "braved" the exaggerated dangers of the highway gives the

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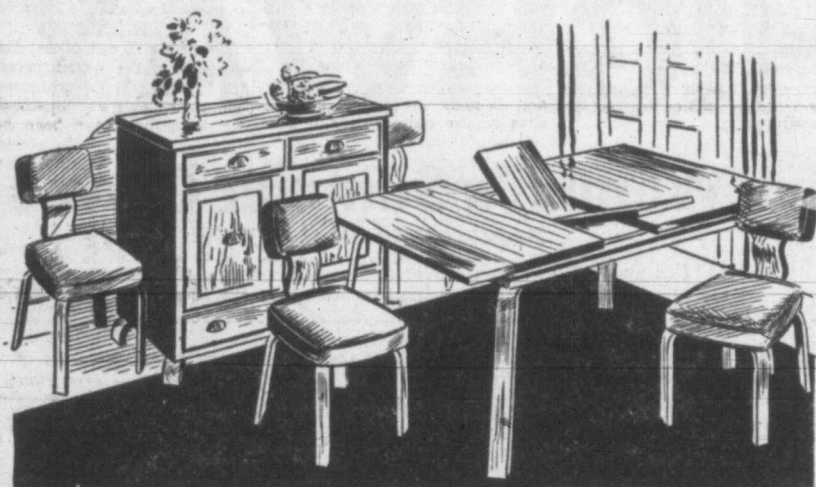
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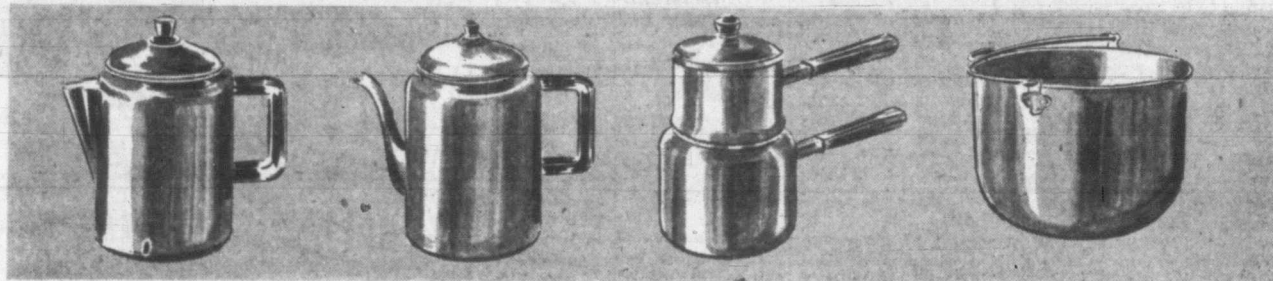
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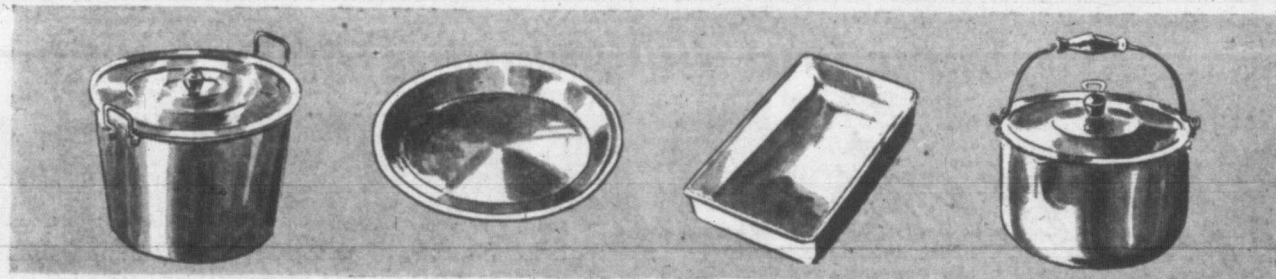


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95c 1.50 2.50

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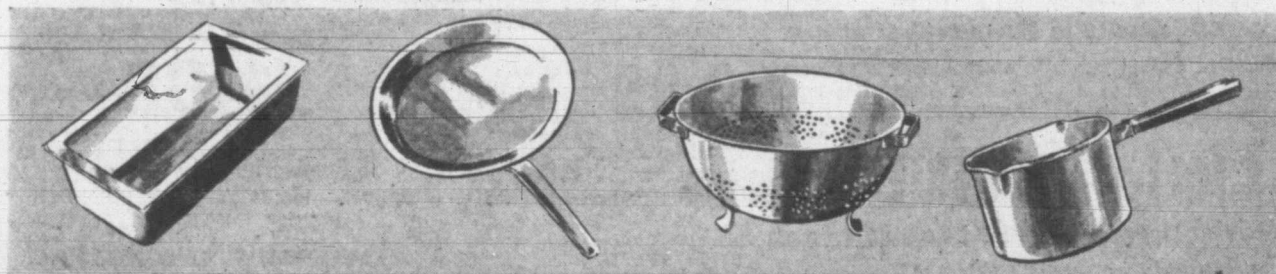


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85c to 1.10

Pie Plates
20c and 25c

Cake Pans
39c

Preserving Kettles
95c and 1.85

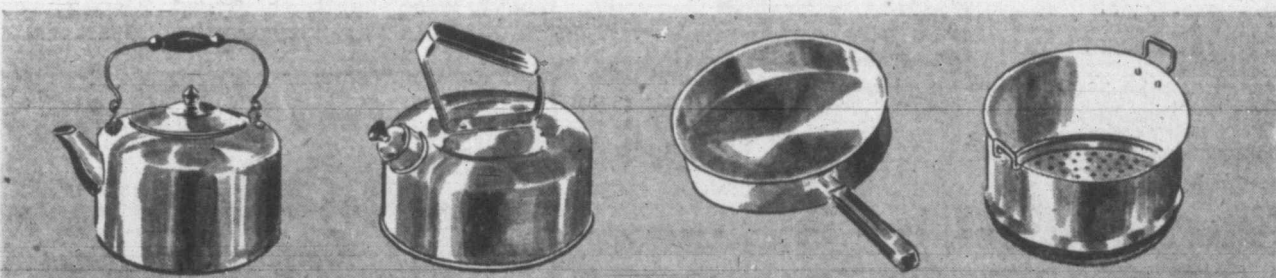


Loaf Pans
40c

Skillets
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Colanders
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Saucepans
59c to 2.45



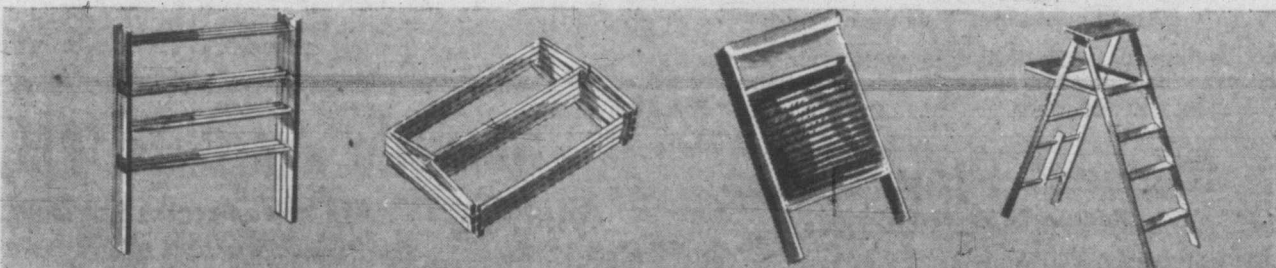
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1.35 and 2.85

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95c to 1.15

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Pioneer B.C. Teacher Dies At Bella Coala

Iver Fougner, a resident of the Bella Coala Valley for 53 years and holder of the first B.C. Normal School teacher's certificate, has died at Bella Coala after a life devoted to his community.

Mr. Fougner attended high school and college at Lillehammer, Norway, where he was born April 24, 1870. He emigrated to the U.S. in 1888 after spending some time at sea aboard sailing ships. He qualified as a teacher in Minnesota after attending normal school there.

In the early '90's he went to Bella Coala where a colony had been started by Rev. Saugstad. Mr. Fougner attended normal school at Vancouver. He then returned to Bella Coala Valley to teach the children of the Norwegian settlers there, holding his first classes in an earthen-floor log cabin on which sat desks made of spruce tree blocks.

From 1910 to 1936 he acted as Indian Agent. During his life in the valley, Fougner led an active part in the life of the community and during the war period acted as secretary of the Red Cross there.

Bananas Arrive

A carload of bananas arrived here Thursday to ease current shortage. Local wholesalers say, however, the fruit will be in short supply for some weeks to come.

A carload of watermelon also has arrived.

With Washington cantaloupes now at a peak, supplies here are good and prices reasonable.

Okanagan peaches came into the market with peaches from California and Washington during the week. Quantity was limited but more are expected next week.

The apricot season is almost over but supplies on hand are good.

Struck By Prowler

H. S. Stepmey, 1122 Johnson Street, told police that at 2.30 a.m. Thursday he was awakened by the prowler and accosted him "but when I spoke to him he struck me on the arm and ran west on Johnson toward Cook Street." A police search of the district failed to locate the culprit.

Ship Poultry To U.S.

OTTAWA (CP)—A market in the United States may be the answer to problems of Canadian poultry dealers seeking new outlets since Great Britain decided to stop buying Canadian dressed poultry. The Agriculture Department said Thursday to take up the slack, permits were granted this week for export to the United States of approximately 1,000,000 pounds of live and dressed poultry.

Survey Made Of Damaged Destroyer

HALIFAX (CP)—The destroyer Miac, damaged in a harbor-mouth collision which took a toll of 11 lives among her crew, has been under survey on the nearby Dartmouth Marine slip since Monday, but it has not yet been determined where she will be repaired, it was learned here.

The 2,000-ton destroyer had 50 feet of her bow damaged in the July 16 collision with the freighter Yarmouth County.

VERNON, B.C. (CP)—Louis Marchand, 112-year-old Indian of Six-Mile Creek, Okanagan Reserve, who came to British Columbia from Montana in 1901, died here this week. Marchand's father, who was said to have walked from Montreal to Montana, died at the age of 115 and his mother at the age of 104, here.

They'll Do It Every Time



Staff Complete For Victoria Schools

The roster of 350 teachers to staff Greater Victoria's schools has been completed, J. F. K. English, senior municipal inspector of schools, announced Thursday.

Approximately 50 new teachers have been taken on the staff to start their duties the first of September, Mr. English said. The vacancies necessitating their appointment were caused by a variety of reasons he said, including marriage, leaving the profession and leaving Victoria. Three Victoria teachers have gone overseas as exchange teachers and three English teachers are coming here.

WILLS' English Mixture PIPE TOBACCO

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MEATS — AS CUT IN CASE

RED AND BLUE BRAND BEEF ROLLED BONELESS ROASTS BEEF

BLADE ROLLED, lb. 30¢ | INSIDE RIB, lb. 45¢ | OUTSIDE RIB, lb. 35¢

YOUNG ISLAND MUTTON

FOREQUARTERS SHOULDER, lb. 15¢ | LEGS FILLETS, lb. 33¢ | RIB CHOPS, lb. 25¢
HAMBURGER, fresh, lb. 19¢ | COMMERCIAL SAUSAGE, L.C., lb. 15¢ | STEW BEEF, lean, lb. 23¢
BLADE ROASTS, lb. 24¢ | BLADE STEAKS, lb. 25¢ | CROSS RIB ROASTS, lb. 30¢

FRESH KILLED "A" GRADE FOWL, 3-3 1/2 lbs., per lb. 33¢

SERVICE MEATS DELIVERED

1947 SPRING LAMB, forequarters, lb. 29¢ | ROASTING CHICKEN, milk-fed, 5 to 6 lbs., per lb. 42¢
PORK SAUSAGE, S.C., lb. 35¢ | ROUND STEAK, minced, lb. 42¢ | PLATE BEEF, centres, lb. 16¢

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An important special purchase of cool-looking, well-made dresses in a selection of smart styles in plain pastel shades and white. Sizes 14 to 44.

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Opportunity thrifty mothers will welcome! A clearance of broken lines in good choice of styles, fabrics and colors, collectively—some slightly shopsoiled. Sizes 1 to 10 years.

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Infants' Blankets

Back again! Cot size, 36x42 inches, figured blankets for use on cribs or as baby wraps—and at an old-time low price. Attractive nursery designs in pink or blue shades. Finished with blanket whipping all round.

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Clearance Girls' Blouses

Factory Oddments—Values to 1.98

Excellent choice of styles and fabrics in this bargain offering. Sizes 3 to 14 years, collectively

79c

36-In. Plastic Curtaining

An Exceptional Value at, Yard

Attractive lace pattern design in white, pink or ivory, practical and pleasing for use in any room

79c

Misses' Play Shoes

Regularly Priced at 2.95

Sling and ankle-style casuals with platform soles. In white, red, wheat, peach, pink and blue. Sizes 11 to 3, collectively.

1.79

Women's "Fleetfoot" Casuals

Ballet and Lounger Styles, Regular 2.50

Ideal for beach or sports wear. Canvas uppers in wine, natural and blue, non-mark rubber soles. Sizes 4 1/2 to 7.

1.95

CLEARANCE OF WOMEN'S AND MISSES'

Play Togs, Sun Suits

Regularly Priced at 3.98

1.98

Broken lines and oddments from regular stocks, grouped at half price. A fine selection of summer play and beach wear for early shoppers. Sizes 12 to 18, collectively.

WOMEN'S AND MISSES'

Attractive Blouses

Long or short-sleeved styles in a variety of popular fabrics, some slightly shopsoiled. Good choice of colors. Sizes 12 to 20, collectively

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Squall Jackets

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Light, comfortable, smartly casual—windproof and practical. Note these features:

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- ★ Neat Fitting Knitted Crew Neck, Waist and Cuffs
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Women's and Girls' Play Shoes

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Cool sling sandals in gay colors—red, green, brown, natural and other popular shades; moccasin style casuals, too. Sizes 4 to 8, collectively.

DAVID SPENCER LIMITED

Women's Summer Gloves

Regular Values to 79c Pair

Fabrics and mesh knits in white and several popular plain colors—remainders of broken lines in sizes 6 to 8, grouped for quick clearance at

39c

MEN'S SUMMER WEIGHT

Bengaline Zipper Jackets

Regularly Priced at 4.50

Smart, practical jackets for casual and general wear. In plain shades with contrasting cuffs and waistband. Full zipper front. Sizes 38 to 44.

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Men's Sleeveless Pullovers

Fancy knit of fine, soft, pure wool yarns. In attractive plain colors and white. Small, medium and large sizes

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Regularly Priced at 2.98

Cool comfort at a worthwhile saving—long-sleeved style of smoothly-woven cotton in attractive printed check designs. Two pockets, neat-fitting collar, small and medium sizes.

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Men's Summer Socks

First quality socks of summer weight yarns in an excellent choice of neat patterns and colorings. Regular or ankle styles. Sizes 10 to 12. Secure a season's supply at 39¢ pair

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Boys' Cowboy Outfits

Just the thing for holiday playtime wear—three-piece outfits—long-sleeved plaid shirt, chap style cotton pants and colored handkerchief. 8 to 12-year sizes.

1.69

Growing Girls' Footwear

Short Lines, Regular to 4.50

White sandals with sling heels, ballet casuals, white and brown saddle loafers. A good size range

3.29

Women's Bedroom Slippers

Repriced for Quick Clearance

Exceptional choice—white leathers with fur trim, red and yellow mules, blue and red slippers, perforated black patent with red fur trim and many more. All sizes

2.49

60 Of Nascopie Passengers, Crew To Arrive In Winnipeg Saturday

WINNIPEG (CP)—Seven more persons who were aboard the Hudson's Bay Company's supply ship Nascopie when she piled up on a reef near Cape Dorset, Baffin Land, July 21, shipped for new clothes in Winnipeg today after being flown here from Churchill.

They brought to 13 the number brought by air to Winnipeg. The remainder of the passengers and crew, about 60, are expected Saturday afternoon by train. They arrived at Churchill Thursday aboard the Canadian icebreaker N. B. McLean which had evacuated them from Cape Dorset.

The seven who arrived Thursday night were James G. Wright, superintendent of the eastern Arctic for the H.B.C. and chief of the Nascopie expedition; Dr. H. W. Lewis and Alex Stevenson, all of Ottawa; Andrew Moore, Winnipeg; Dr. C. F. Toll, Trail, B.C.; Edward Bind and Dr. J. F. Cumming, Toronto.

They seemed none the worse, apart from unpressed clothing, for their experience. Mr. Stevenson, assistant to Mr. Wright, said accommodation at Cape Dorset was good although crowded and food was plentiful because it had been possible to salvage some of the Nascopie's stores.

Otherwise their plight could have been serious because the little outpost there is not provisioned for a major increase of population.

The passengers, ordered ashore shortly after the ship had struck, saved little of their belongings.

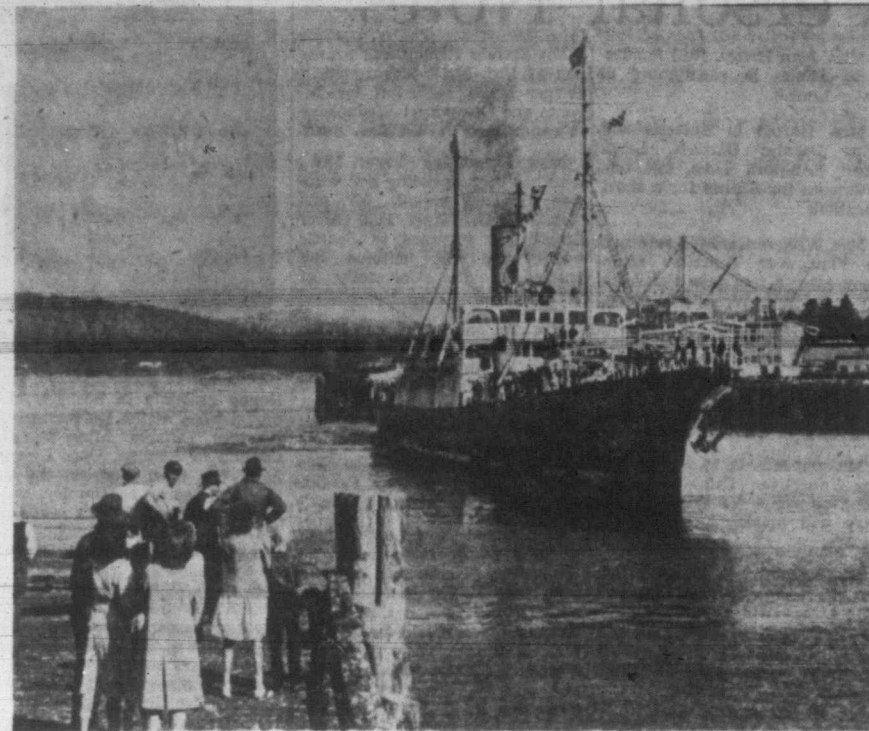
"We had all the food we needed, sleeping accommodation, plenty of space if we wanted to walk—and nothing to do. It was a lovely life," said one of the party. Although he declined to confirm it, others said Dr. Cumming had kept a record of their life at Cape Dorset with his movie camera.

STILL ON REEF

The 2,500-ton Nascopie, on her 34th annual supply mission to the outposts, was still awash when the McLean steamed toward Churchill, the group said, but any moment might slip off into deep water.

She will be replaced this year by another ship now loading at Quebec and H.B.C. officials said supplies to have been distributed in the southern Hudson Bay area and around James Bay by the 97-ton Neophyte, which grounded off Fort Severn July 28, also would be sent the latter's ports of call by some other means.

Drydocking Of Restorer Scheduled For August



Shown nosing into the pier at Yarrow's Ltd. No. 1 yard Tuesday, where crew members were met by relatives and friends, the cable-repairing vessel, back from a seven-month south Pacific cable-repairing cruise, will go into drydock for overhaul and inspection in August, Capt. J. H. Connelly reported today. The ship will be maintained at Esquimalt. It with reduced crew, pending a new assignment.

Great ferns, about 80 feet high, face in the carboniferous period covered much of the earth's surface about 25,000,000 years ago.

Italians Ratify Peace Treaty

ROME (AP)—With Communist deputies abstaining and left-wing Socialists in opposition, the Constituent Assembly Thursday night authorized the government to ratify the Italian peace treaty. The vote was 262 to 68.

The final decision came after three days of often bitter debate and a last-minute effort to delay the vote. Of 410 deputies present out of a membership of 556, eight abstained.

The treaty specifies that ratification instruments must be deposited by all Big Four powers with the French Foreign Office before the treaty becomes operative. Russia is the only Big Four power which has not ratified thus far.

The treaty assesses Italy \$360,000,000 in reparations, divided as follows: Russia \$100,000,000; Yugoslavia \$125,000,000; Greece \$105,000,000; Ethiopia \$25,000,000 and Albania \$5,000,000.

Italy also loses her African colonies and is required to recognize the independence of Albania and Ethiopia. She loses the Dodecanese Islands to Greece, the port of Trieste becomes an internationalized territory under United Nations control and she loses minor border areas to France and Yugoslavia.

The treaty limits Italy's armed forces to a total of 297,500 men.

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Canadian Legion's New Publication Makes Appearance

Featuring the history of the Esquimalt Dockyard Branch No. 172, the first issue of the monthly publication, the Victoria and District Legionnaire, came off the presses recently. It is the successor to the Britannia Veteran published by the Britannia Branch of the Canadian Legion for several years.

The publication gives a full report of activities of other branches in the district. It is the voice of members of the Canadian Legion on the lower island. Under the heading of "No Man's Land" are reports of the activity in the women's auxiliary units of branches. The booklet is published jointly by the Pro Patria and Britannia branches.

An interesting item by "Aubjon" reports on the VE-Day work of the dockyard branch which finally resulted in a Canadian tree—the maple—being planted in the dockyard with the consent of Capt. P. B. German, R.C.N., who on May 7, 1945, was naval officer in charge at Esquimalt.

The idea was hit on, says Aubjon, to commemorate VE-Day, to mark the day a war-sick world waited many years for. It is the intention to have a suitably inscribed permanent plaque put on the tree in future years when it has advanced from its present tender stage. Mrs. German officiated at the colorful ceremony and services were conducted by two naval chaplains, Padre J. Furlong and Padre LaPorte.

"The tree is flourishing well," reports the writer, "and is being attended by T. Thompson, head gardener of the dockyard, who located it."

The DOCTOR Says:

SUNLIGHT CURES, PREVENTS RICKETS
By WILLIAM A. O'BRIEN, M.D.

Rickets is the only disease which can be prevented or cured by sunlight. But sunlight is not dependable in some sections of the country even in the summer months, so children should receive their vitamin D by capsule form the year around.

In rickets the bones fail to develop properly at growth points so that softening occurs. Rickets is most common during periods of rapid growth (first two years), but it may develop at any time until growth is completed.

Rickety babies are usually fat, pale, and have flattened heads in the back. They perspire easily and are not active. Their chests are flat, and their legs generally bowed. In mild cases the child may show serious bone changes, but X-ray examination of the ends of the bones will reveal the difficulty.

In mild cases recovery occurs by slowing down of the rate of bone growth, improvement in diet, exposure to sun or by taking vitamin D. Bone deformities gradually disappear, although some may persist.

VIOSTEROL IN FISH OIL

Children who live in a climate in which there is good year-round exposure to ultraviolet in sunlight may escape rickets. Dark-skinned children are not as fortunate, because the pigment in their skin resists the passage of the rays and they may develop rickets, even when exposed to sunlight. While children who can have the same difficulty, and it is wise for their mothers also to keep up their vitamin D during the summer.

Body of the growing child needs ergosterol, active principle of vitamin D. This substance becomes effective when it has been changed into viosterol by ultraviolet radiation. Many fish oils contain viosterol. Every child needs a regular supply of it until growth is completed.

Question: Last fall our 11-year-old child was struck by a car and suffered a bump on his forehead and a brain concussion. He appears to be perfectly well now. Is it possible for him to develop the effects of a brain hemorrhage at this late date?

Answer: The danger is past.

Donates Prize For Canadian Scientists

OTTAWA (CP)—The Royal Society of Canada Thursday night announced a \$150 prize, donated by a prominent U.S. physicist who wishes to remain anonymous, for Canadian research in the field for cosmic rays. The prize is to be given only once.

It will be known as the Royal Society of Canada Cosmic Ray Research Prize and the research work can be experimental or theoretical, but must have been accepted for publication in a recognized periodical or book form before Oct. 1, 1949. A committee of the society will select the winner from among contestants for work done in Canada by men working from Canadian laboratories.

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4-Piece Bedroom SUITE

A lovely set of outstanding value, consisting of four-drawer chiffonier, five-drawer vanity with round mirror of plate glass, upholstered bench and full-size bed. Gracious waterfall design. Sale Price

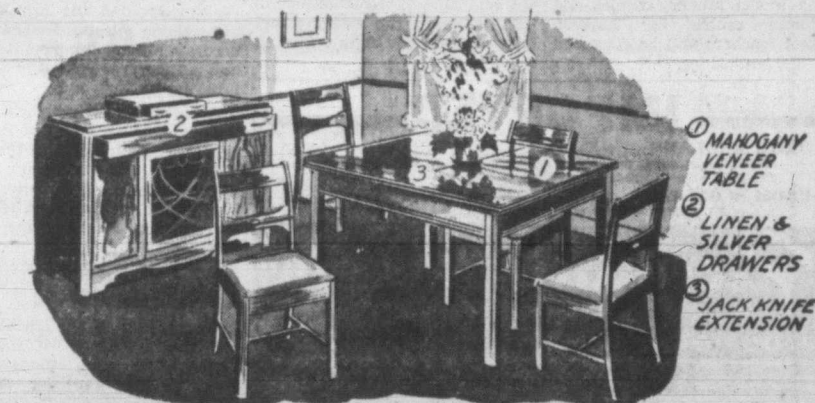
\$139.50

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Sale prices notwithstanding, you may have these values delivered for a down payment of only

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6-Piece DINETTE SUITE

This suite has a large table with jackknife construction. Bleached mahogany finish, four upholstered seat chairs and buffet with silver and linen drawers and a glass-door china closet. Six Pieces.

\$99.00

Table and 4 Chairs only, \$65.00

END TABLES

Hardwood with walnut finish. An August Sale special at

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EASY CHAIRS

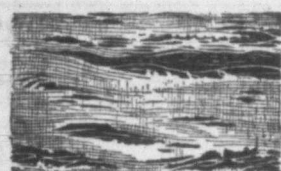
Many to choose from in varying styles that spell smart comfort. Full spring seats, reversible seat cushions and full spring backs. Covered in velour, damask and tapestry. Priced from

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WHAT CAUSES UPSET STOMACH?

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WHO ARE THE MAKERS OF PEPTO-BESMAL?

Pepto-Bismal has been made by the Norwich Pharmacal Company for more than forty years. The Norwich Company has been a leader in the field of pharmaceutical development.

A NORWICH PRODUCT

PEPTO-BESMAL
FOR UPSET STOMACH

Calgary Visitors Effect Four-Generation Reunion



Mrs. Wilfred Jones with her daughter, Lorraine, who arrived from Calgary, to visit the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Cherry, Royal Oak, are pictured at a four-generation reunion, with Mrs. Jones' father, and grandmother, Mrs. Richard Cherry. The visitors from Calgary will remain in the city for the next few weeks. Mrs. Cherry, now in her 91st year, makes her home with a son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. E. Gridley, 307 Gorge Road West. She has 12 great-grandchildren.

Nursery School Ass'n Elects Executive For Coming Year

Executive committee named at the annual meeting of the Nursery School Association is as follows: Mrs. A. G. H. Tisdall, Mrs. C. L. Aylard, Mrs. S. M. Allan, Mrs. E. F. W. Cox, Mrs. A. J. Tullis, Mrs. J. Dangerfield, Mrs. D. E. Douglas Smith, Mrs. B. W. Fairweather, Mrs. A. J. Whitfield, Miss V. E. Ashdown, Miss D. Doyle and Miss I. D. Sarratt.

Officers will be chosen at the first meeting in September.

The retiring president, Mrs. A. G. H. Tisdall, said in her report there were two main activities during the past year, the preparation and submission of a petition and brief to the Board of Governors of University of British Columbia, urging the establishment of a model nursery school and the bursaries which the association awards to students wishing to train in nursery school work.

Mrs. Tisdall announced that 30 organizations in Victoria and Vancouver supported the petition. Among these were child welfare organizations, service clubs, church and educational groups, including the Greater Victoria School Board.

In her announcement, Mrs. Tisdall told members that word had been received from Dr. Norman McKenzie, that this matter of a model nursery school and training centre for nursery school teachers will be discussed by the authorities.

Five hundred dollars was awarded last year to Miss Phyllis Grant, who studied at the Institute of Child Study in Toronto.

This year, two bursaries of \$250 each are being awarded. One has been given to Miss Ruth Martin, who recently graduated. The other has yet to be awarded.

Other activities of the association included a membership tea, held at the home of Mrs. R. H. Spillsbury and a tea in honor of Mrs. Norman McKenzie, at the home of Mrs. A. J. Tullis.

Mrs. B. W. Fairweather, treasurer, reported \$365 had been raised for the bursaries through a rummage sale. Contributions toward the balance still to be raised, are being accepted.

The membership convener, Mrs. Dangerfield, reported the association now has 94 members.

Engagements

Announcements to appear under this heading will be accepted at the Times Advertising Department. Minimum charge, \$1.50 for 10 lines, and 10¢ for each additional line.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Aldred, 326 Kerr Avenue, wish to announce the engagement of their only daughter, Barbara Joan, to George Lawrence, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. L. Fieldhouse, 819 Colville Road. The wedding will take place at St. John's Church on Aug. 23 at 8 p.m.

White Suede Lace In Bridal Gown

White suede lace was fashioned with classic simplicity in the bridal gown worn by Miss Marion Georgene Robinson, daughter of Mrs. J. Robinson, 832 Battery Street, when she became the bride of John Henry Pollard, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Pollard, 3135 Blackwood Street, Thursday at 7.30.

Summer blossoms were attractively arranged at Christ Church Cathedral for the ceremony performed by Dean Spencer H. Elliott.

Clusters of orange blossoms held the bridal veil of fine net which misted over the wedding gown, and long white net gloves were worn by the bride. She carried pink sweet peas, roses and gypsophila in her showering bouquet.

Miss Kay Pollard gown in yellow brocade satin was bridal attendant. She wore a white halo headdress with white net gloves and carried a bouquet of mauve larkspur and white sweet peas.

Joe Ball attended the groom as best man. Ushers were Richard Pollard and Stanley Robinson.

A reception was held at the home of the groom's parents, where Mrs. Robinson and Mrs. Pollard assisted the bride and groom in receiving guests. Rooms were decorated with summer flowers, and a two-tiered cake centred the bride's table.

On return from their mainland honeymoon, Mr. and Mrs. Pollard will make their home in the city. The bride chose a smart white dress with white accessories, pale blue topcoat and corsage bouquet of gardenias for her going-away ensemble.

Club Calendar

Sketch Club of the Island Arts and Crafts Society will meet at Coach Lines depot Monday at 1 p.m., to take Burnside bus to Wilkinson Road for sketching the grain fields.

Companion — A favorite with those summery frocks is the lightweight coat of black or pastel colored woolen. Typical coat style features the swaggar back with bracelet-length sleeves.

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Personal Notes

Miss Jean Henry, 1045 Pendergast Street, is vacationing at Lake Louise.

Mrs. Harold L. Butteris and Miss Bernice Butteris, Leigh Road, Langford Lake, left this afternoon for Seattle for a short vacation.

Mrs. William Carswell returned to Vancouver Thursday afternoon after a few days visit with Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Patterson, Cotswold Road, the Uplands.

Miss Peggy Linn has come from New Westminster for several days' visit with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ivings, 1144 Goodwin Road.

Mr. and Mrs. D. M. McCall left for Vancouver Thursday afternoon en route for Banff, where they will holiday for the next month.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Lane left the city today for Prince Rupert where they will visit with their son and daughter-in-law, Dr. and Mrs. J. E. Lane. They will return to their home, 2856 Dewdney Avenue, in a few weeks.

Dr. A. W. Henry, University of Alberta at Edmonton, his wife and son Donald, are visitors in the city, the guests of Dr. Henry's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Henry, 1045 Pendergast Street.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Dobing of Edson, Alta., and Mrs. F. White, Vancouver, left for their homes Thursday afternoon. In the city to attend the Deacon-Dobing wedding Wednesday, they were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. McCague, Graham Street.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Francis have returned to their Lansdowne Road home after a week's holiday at Banff. They were accompanied home by Mr. and Mrs. Walter Luney, Uplands Road, who spent two weeks at the mountain resort.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold A. Beckwith, 1149 Oliver Street, will be "at home" to their friends, Sunday from 4 until 6 and again from 8 until 10, on the occasion of their 25th wedding anniversary. They will be assisted in receiving their guests by their daughters, Mrs. Geoffrey A. Vantricht, Jr., and Miss Sheila Beckwith and their son, Mr. John Beckwith.

Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Sinnott and Miss Patsy-Ruth Sinnott have returned to their home on Dereen Place, Rockland Avenue, after a month's tour of the United States in which they visited Yellowstone National Park, Boston, Cape Cod and Plymouth, Mass., New York, Atlantic City, Washington, D.C., Richmond, Va., Chicago, Niagara Falls, Arizona's Grand Canyon, Los Angeles, San Francisco and Portland, Ore.

A surprise miscellaneous shower was given recently by Mrs. W. Cave and Mrs. J. Stephenson at the home of Mrs. W. Jackson, 2650 Graham Street, in honor of Mrs. R. F. Jackson, a recent bride. Corsage bouquets of pastel sweet peas were presented to the honor guest and to the groom's mother. Gifts were contained in a decorated box. Those attending were Mesdames W. Cave, J. Stephenson, E. Carter, J. Shaver, A. Maysmith, C. Kerr, A. Barry, J. Slater, E. Campbell, R. Clarkson, J. Browning, D. Christie, F. Cracknell, R. Jackson, E. Wutzke, W. Jackson, W. Snider, Miss D. Shaw and Miss M. Boxell.

Miss Trudie McGill was hostess to friends at her home, 1170 Tattersall Drive, Thursday evening when she entertained friends to honor Miss Joyce Donaldson, an August bride-elect. Corsage bouquets of stocks were presented to the honor guest, her mother, Mrs. D. Donaldson, and mother of the groom-elect, Mrs. G. Kilshaw. Miscellaneous gifts were contained in an inverted mauve and yellow parasol. Refreshments were served and Mrs. Donaldson presided at the urn. Others attending were Mesdames P. G. Briggs, W. R. Rhodes, H. O. Tweedhope, W. W. McGill and Misses Gladys Baxter, Joan Beecher, Enid Magrath, Joyce Mawle, Ellen Sommerville, and Rachel Woodward.

Mrs. George Jacklin and her daughter, Miss Lillian Jacklin, entertained at their home, 1151 McKenzie Street, with a surprise miscellaneous shower to honor Miss Marion Braithwaite, bride-elect of this week. The honor guest and her mother, Mrs. J. H. Braithwaite, were presented with corsage bouquets. Gifts were concealed in a white container topped with a wedding bell. Guests included Mesdames G. A. Newman, J. Hedley, J. Green, R. Colmer, C. Earl, B. Musgrave, C. Fraser and Misses Helen Bell, Edmoult, Bernice and Phyllis Vogan, K. Earl, G. Earl, Muriel Burton, Joy Kershaw, Catharine Campbell and Marjorie Braithwaite.

Mr. Freddy Richardson, grandson of Maj. Fred Richardson, a former Bisley shot, left for Toronto and Ottawa on Wednesday to compete in the B.C.R.A. meet.

Miss Gwendoline Harper, M.A., who has been spending her vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred G. Harper, 1130 Oliver Street, has returned to Seattle where she will continue her studies at the University of Washington.

Mrs. Aaron Parfitt was a tea hour hostess Thursday at the Priory, Pemberton Road, to honor Miss Kay Atherton, whose marriage will take place Saturday. A corsage bouquet was presented to the honor guest. Guests were Mrs. Alfred Atherton, Mrs. D. E. Smith, Mrs. Ray Parfitt, Mrs. R. Hetherington.

Mrs. Alfred Dowell entertained at her home, 30 Howe Street, on Wednesday afternoon in honor of Mrs. Ivor Brake, London, Ont., and Miss Jessie Penzer, R.N., Vancouver. Invited guests were Mrs. J. Strang, Mrs. J. Sweat, Mrs. A. V. Clarke, Mrs. J. H. Russell, Mrs. W. Leal, Mrs. J. Mulard, Mrs. R. H. Payne, Mrs. R. Freeman and Miss D. Frampton.

In compliment to Miss Alice Jameson, Colwood, whose marriage will take place in August, Mrs. H. Shea entertained with a pantry shower. Corsage bouquets were presented to the honor guest and her mother, Mrs. J. F. W. Jameson. Others attending were Mesdames N. Hawes, R. Ball, Erwin Shea, Arthur Anderson, K. Holahan, Elmer Boswell, and Misses Bea Shea, Pearl Shea, Betty Jameson. Gifts for the bride-elect were presented in a miniature truck.

Miss Betty Aitken entertained Wednesday at her home, 88 Wellington Avenue, with a miscellaneous shower to honor Miss Dorothy Austin, whose marriage takes place tonight. Corsage bouquets of roses and carnations were presented to Miss Austin and her mother, Mrs. George Austin. Gifts were contained in a decorated blue and white drum. Guests included Mesdames J. Boyer, G. Mounce, Gamble, W. Amos, B. Smith, M. McQuarrie, Misses Teresa Webb, Willa Reid, Marie Cummins, Eva Hodgson, Doreen Cartwright, Eva Phillips, Helen Elliott, Peggy Gilles, Gladys Whitehead and Marjorie Crampton.

Honoring Miss Eileen De Maris, an August bride-elect, Miss Kay Steward entertained on Wednesday evening, at the home of her mother, Mrs. Arthur Steward, Vining Street. Corsage bouquets were presented to Miss De Maris and her mother, Mrs. J. C. De Maris. Gifts for the honor guest were an electric clock and a vase. During the evening games and contests were enjoyed and refreshments served with Mrs. De Maris and Mrs. B. Redford presiding at the urns. Other guests were Mesdames G. Gottingham, F. McLaughlin, W. Adam, C. Madigan, E. Hovan, G. Rowe, G. Parkes, J. Dallimore, G. O'Neill, J. Kippen, S. Hilton, D. Bell, A. Steward, Misses Gladys De Maris, Eileen Knight, Hilda Schaffer, Freda Schaffer, Ida di Candido and Nadine Blair.

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Honor graduate in business administration at the University of Western Ontario, Miss M. G. Carlson of London, Ont., shown here, has been awarded the J. William Horsey scholarship, valued at \$3,000, or \$1,500 a year for 1947 and 1948, plus traveling expenses. This is the second award of the fellowship established in 1945 by J. William Horsey, president of Dominion Stores Ltd., to promote research into food production costs. The award is open to graduates in business administration, commerce and finance at any Canadian university.

California Trip For Newlyweds

Honeymooning in San Carlos, Calif., are Bernard Frank Crump and his bride, whose marriage took place quietly in St. Barnabas Church Wednesday afternoon, with Rev. A. Reddish of Santa Barbara, Calif., officiating.

The bride, the former Miss Helen Kathrine Weisgarber, is the eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. Weisgarber of Regina, Mr. Crump is the youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Crump, Victoria.

Mr. and Mrs. George Thackray attended the couple.

A wedding luncheon was served at the home of the groom's parents, at 2522 Empire Street, following the service. Vases of sweet peas and gypsophila decorated the tables.

The bride wore a smart navy blue afternoon frock with navy and white accessories and corsage bouquet of white carnations and rosebuds for the wedding trip. Mr. and Mrs. Crump will return to make their home in the city.

International Gathering University Women In Canada

For the first time in history, a world-wide organization of university women will hold its triennial conference in North America, when the International Federation of University Women convenes in Toronto, Aug. 11 to 16. Meetings will be held at the University of Toronto.

Mrs. R. B. Crummy, Vancouver, Canadian federation president, has already left for Toronto. The national secretary, Mrs. E. M. Woodworth, also of Vancouver, will leave this week, and 10 other Vancouver women plan to attend the world gathering.

Victoria will be represented by Mrs. Hazel Hodson and Miss Nan Eaton, who are at present in eastern Canada on holiday tours. They are both past executives of

the Victoria club and are registered as conference delegates.

Five hundred women from more than 20 countries are coming to Canada for the conference. They are tackling a heavy program of special interest research, as well as a number of general meetings. As this is the first postwar conference of the federation, it will be especially concerned with the reorganization of committees on administration and educational activities.

The keynote address of the conference by Dr. Frances Moran, a distinguished scholar and legal expert of Dublin, Ireland, will be a consideration of the new areas of international law opened up by the Nuremberg trials. Dr. Moran was at Nuremberg in an official capacity.

One of the jobs of the conference will be to establish the relationship of the federation with Unesco. The work of the two organizations in cultural and other fields at present overlaps.

Versatile Woman Wins High Honor

VANCOUVER (CP) — Life began at 40 with distinction for Dr. Honor M. Kidd, well-known west coast business woman, journalist, historian, economist and doctor.

Dr. Kidd is the first woman and the first Canadian to be awarded the coveted Osler Medal in historical medicine.

The energetic doctor describes herself as the "black sheep" of the family since nowhere in her background has medicine been a career.

At the age of 21, she began work with her father in the grocery business, in 1932 rising to director of a chain of stores. At 36 she spent six months taking a pre-medical course.

She describes herself as "not an exceptional student," but the American Association of Historical Medicine differed with her, honoring her research and report on a B.C. doctor and politician, Dr. J. S. Helmcken, by awarding her the Osler Medal. Her thesis was published by Johns Hopkins Medical School.

Dr. Kidd was for two years editor of the national medical publication and at the same time president of the Medical Women's Society.

She has returned to eastern Canada to take her internship at Montreal's Royal Victoria Hospital.

Entertain Sketch Club

The Sketch Club of the Island Arts and Crafts Society was entertained at the Colquitz home of Mr. and Mrs. E. J. T. Woodward. Fourteen members were present and the afternoon was spent in sketching the Colquitz River.

Afternoon tea was served, followed by a viewing of Mrs. Woodward's water color and oil paintings, among which were outstanding studies done in Iceland, Uganda and the United States.

Among the guests were Mr. and Mrs. B. R. Berrick, Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Casson, Mrs. Leggett, Toronto, Miss Maude Lettice, Mrs. J. C. Hanna, Mrs. W. Press, Mrs. Featherstone, Mrs. W. Young, Mrs. Rice Jones, Mrs. F. Fletcher, Mrs. Payton and Miss M. Bruce.

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In Step With Style

Stylish—A double-breasted jacket is featured on the newest suit chosen by Gracie Allen. Her accessories in dark green leather and her small hat of natural crushed straw lend importance to her suit of green silk shantung.

Travel-wise—Suggestion of the month for the travel talkers comes from George Gibbs, NBC singing star. She always wipes out the inside of her suitcases with her favorite cologne to scare away that musty smell of closed luggage. Coast-to-coast commuter Gibbs also seals her spill-

ables with colorless nail polish, makes use of toes of shoes and crevices to pack hosiery or lingerie and believes in putting tissue paper between folds with tight packing for a minimum of wrinkles.

Attention—Footwear having become more conspicuous by the eye-compelling attention of longer daytime dresses and shorter ankle-length evening dresses, shoes for the coming season will present imaginatively styled variety of designs to effect neater, daintier pedal flattery. The closed heel and toe opera pump, long recognized as the aristocrat of shoe designs, reappears utterly unadorned or with conservative buckles.

Prediction—Leading milliners predict that every shade of yellow, including copper, brass and light amber, will go to the heads in the coming season. Yellow is slated to go with navy—scheduled for a comeback—and with new prints. "Lollipop" shades of pink and green also figure as new colors. Black will be enlivened by a bright dash of color. The new hats will fall into three categories: the off-face, the profile brim, and the hat worn well forward on the brow.

Beware—Using the same perfume too long or too constantly frequently causes "olfactory fatigue," according to the chemists. When a favorite scent seemingly is weak, it may well be that the sense of smell is less acute because it's just plain tired and needs a stimulating change.

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For the in-between season, actress Evelyn Peterson chooses this David Crystal crepe frock in beige with navy and white polka dot tie belt. For practical summer wear in the morning or afternoon this smart cool frock is fashion right.

Dramatic Simplicity—Forerunners of fall fashions are the new fine wool dresses, simple and tailored enough to go to the morning committee meeting or office, but with enough drama in style and color to mingle in a crowd of snooty afternoon crepes. Colors begin in soft minor keys of beige—called "winter wheat"—cloud beige, heather-beige and dry gin—and wind up on a base crescendo of rock gold, gentian blue, torch red, peony, winter cranberry.

Sheer Wools Appear In Fall Fashions

Dinner and cocktail dresses in sheer, soot black wool are appearing in New York's restaurants.

New fall suitings also are lighter in weight. The new daytime fabrics have the texture and appearance of this lovely fabric that was so popular twenty years ago, but it is much lighter in weight as are broadcloths and baratheas.

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Plaids are more than ever popular for teen agers. The newest idea is a plaid wool short dinner dress, cut with low rounded shoulders flanked by a soft collar of the same material, fitted bodice and flared skirt. It is fresh, new and looks so right.

Another plaid novelty is a brightly plaided, long, full-skirted

evening gown, with a tiny, boned bodice and a low-neck—alceveless. It is made over a full petticoat with three rows of eyelet embroidery at the bottom, so that

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Rich New Brunswick Farm Lands Devastated By 30-Minute Storm

EDMUNDSTON, N.B. (CP)—Debris was being cleared from storm-littered streets and fields today as discouraged farmers surveyed a two-mile swath of devastated farmland in this rich northern New Brunswick potato district.

Preliminary estimates placed the damage of Thursday's fierce 30-minute hail, rain, wind and electric storm at more than \$100,000, but farmers said it would be days before they could correctly estimate the exact damage to their crops.

Lasting less than 30 minutes, the roaring storm left a trail of demolished barns, wrecked farm machinery, and flattened potato and coarse grain crops.

For the farmers it was a hard blow, with potato-digging time only a month away.

The area hardest hit by the storm, which swept across Maine's northern border, contains about 20 farms and stretches from St. Hilaire to the outskirts of the village of Albertville.

Tall trees were left uprooted; telephone lines were blown down, and crops, flattened to the ground.

Fishermen said the St. John River had risen at least three feet and predicted it might ruin their profitable salmon business.

Here, too, crops were damaged, windows broken and highways littered with debris, but farmers reported the majority of the farms in the area had escaped severe damage.

LOSSES IN U.S.

HOULTON, Me. (AP)—Reports of potato crop losses mounted

today in the wake of a tornado-like hail and wind storm that raked parts of rich Aroostook County, leaving the tree-littered Canadian border town of Fort Kent without telephone service.

There were no reports of casualties.

Unofficial estimates of damage to the half-grown potato plants, based on claims already made to insurance companies, exceeded \$350,000.

Insurance men predicted the total would be two to three times higher.

The half-hour "twister" Thursday apparently followed the St. John River. Canadian as well as U.S. towns on the border stream were hit.

Indian Cabinet Believes In Omens

NEW DELHI (Reuter)—The cabinet of the Dominion of India to be sworn in Aug. 15 is expected to consist of 14 members, including eight of the nine members of the present Interim Government, and six newcomers, among them a woman, Mrs. Rajkumar Amrit Kaur, it was learned Thursday.

Mrs. Kaur, a close associate of Mohandas K. Gandhi, was a delegate to the last session of the United Nations' Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization.

Since astrologers have pronounced the morning of Aug. 15 an inauspicious time for a swearing-in ceremony, the cabinet will be sworn in at a minute past midnight, Aug. 15.

This submission to astrological counsel finds favor with believers in astral influences in New Delhi who recall that astrologers correctly predicted the failure of the Simla conference of Indian party leaders called by Field Marshal Earl Wavell when he was Viceroy in 1945.

Vastness Of Canada Awe Visiting Briton

Canada is larger than the imagination can conceive, according to Brig. V. G. Stokes, a retired British army officer and development secretary of the Overseas League.

Despite his knowledge of Canada from books, Brig. Stokes was amazed at the vast distances of this country as well as the differences existing between the various provinces.

The Overseas League has 60,000 members, he said, and aimed at fostering good will between the nations of the British Commonwealth.

The Englishman retired from the army last year after serving 31 years with the British army in the Middle East and Far East. He served with the Royal Berkshire Regiment.

JAVA -- East Indies Battleground



By ROBERT N. COOL

For the third time in a little over five years warfare has broken out in Java, lush and populous keystone of the Netherlands East Indies.

The current fighting is between well-armed Dutch troops, who are billed as having launched merely a "policing operation," and the ragged warriors of the Indonesian Republic who have

appealed for foreign mediation to end what they call an unwelcome "colonial war" being waged against them.

Less than a year ago the Netherlands government agreed to the independence of its 350-year-old East Indies empire which stretches for 3,000 miles in a compact tropical archipelago between southeastern Asia and Australia. At Linggadjati (Cheribon) on Java's north coast it was decided last November that by Jan. 1, 1949, the East Indies would become the United States of Indonesia, a free dominion linked to Holland in an equal association to be known as the Netherlands Union. The heart of the new United States was to be the Indonesian Republic: Java, Sumatra and neighboring smaller islands.

The Linggadjati agreement was formally signed by both Dutch and Indonesians on March 25. It had followed nearly two

years of confused warfare involving British, Dutch and Indonesian nationalist troops. This struggle, aftermath of the defeat of the Japanese who had invaded the East Indies early in 1942, was really three superimposed operations. The British said they were merely trying to round up surrendered Japanese forces. The Indonesians declared they were fighting to preserve their independence. The Dutch sought to reclaim their prewar colonies. But determined Indonesian nationalism—which the Japanese had encouraged at the end—made the Netherlands government deal with the Republic, after months of fighting and negotiation.

In resuming military operations, the Dutch assert the Linggadjati agreement was violated by the Republicans who were either "unable or unwilling" to implement it. Hence their assaults from bases at Batavia, Semarang, Soerabaja and Ban-

doeng where they had been building up an army, U.S.-trained and equipped with modern American planes and tanks.

Java, centre of all three recent East Indian conflicts, has been called "the prize of the Indies." It is the most densely-populated part of the world, with 45,000,000 people living in the productive valleys, plains and plateaus of its 622-mile length. Before the war, 200,000 Dutch lived on the island.

Its oil, rubber, quinine, tin, kapok and tea make Java a treasure house.

The Republican capital, Jogjakarta, is high in the central mountains which proved an ineffective stronghold against the invading Japanese in 1942.

The Dutch are now following the Japanese tactics of seizing coastal points in Sumatra and Java before tackling the high interior, where stiffer resistance may be expected.

20,000-Foot Mt. McKinley Playfield For Washburns



Washburns, husband and wife: She believes a wife should share the hazards her husband faces, even on towering Mt. McKinley.

By GRACE DES CHAMPS BOSTON—To the army air force the story of "Operation White Tower" was a technical report on equipment and conditions atop Mt. McKinley.

To 12 men who scaled Mt. McKinley's heights it was the story of the courage and resourcefulness of the woman who accompanied them.

Petite Barbara Washburn, wife of Bradford Washburn, the expedition's leader, became the first woman to climb Alaska's and North America's highest peak. And 20,270 feet up its icy side she provided the expedition with strawberry desserts and kept in touch with her three children at home by radio.

Mrs. Washburn spent 72 days on Mt. McKinley with the expedition, carried a 30-pound pack daily over giant glaciers without complaint, cooked and tested W.A.C. clothing.

The clothing provided the only basis for complaint. She found it "all right for around a post but not for rugged wear in the Arctic."

The expedition probably was the best fed in history. The army air force dropped them

hundreds of pounds of fresh-frozen fruits and vegetables. These Mrs. Washburn cooked in pressure cookers over a gasoline stove. Despite the mountain climbing, all members of the expedition gained weight.

Washburn, director of the Boston Museum of Natural History, and his wife are veteran mountain climbers. Seven years ago they honeymooned on an Alaskan mountain. This year they had an anniversary party high on Mt. McKinley and served ice cream and angel cake flown in by army bomber.

On the treacherous descent along a knife-like ridge, with a sheer drop of 10,000 feet on one side and 4,000 on the other, 10 of the explorers were roped together in groups of five. One man slipped off and was hauled back by his comrades.

But so highly does Washburn regard his wife's abilities among the peaks that they came down alone, rather than in one of the groups.

"I don't know what good I would have been if he had slipped," Mrs. Washburn confesses. "We would both have gone over the cliff."

Sibelius Music Said To Rival Beethoven

Music of Jean Sibelius, contemporary Finnish composer, was described and recordings were played by Burton Kurth, supervisor of music in Vancouver schools, at the Little Centre Wednesday evening.

Describing Sibelius as one of the most outstanding of today's nationalist composers, the speaker drew parallels between the great symphonies of Sibelius and Beethoven.

"Many critics today consider the work of Sibelius equals and even rivals that of Beethoven," said Mr. Kurth. "The music of Sibelius is having a profound influence on today's younger composers and it's becoming increasingly popular with music lovers throughout the Anglo-Saxon world."

Mrs. Walter C. Nichol introduced the speaker while Miss Gwen Scott expressed the thanks of the Little Centre.

New Construction Chief

OTTAWA (CP)—Charles Flint, 58, of Toronto, has been appointed superintendent of construction of the Transport Department's air services branch, following Dominion-wide competition, the Civil Service Commission announced today. He succeeds F. C. Jewett, who has retired.

A native of Toronto, Mr. Flint graduated in civil engineering from the University of Toronto in 1910 and for some time was assistant engineer and later engineer in charge of construction of the Canadian Pacific Railway station at Winnipeg.



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Memories Valuable Says Club Speaker

"Memories of passed experiences can supply us with a good measure of inspiration for the future," Gerald S. Rees, author and traveler, told the Rotary Club Thursday.

Mr. Rees recalled boyhood adventures, first sight of the sea, beautiful scenes of nature, works of art and war experiences.

The speaker was introduced by Walter Fletcher and thanked by the club president, Jeffrey Arnot.

George I. Warren announced a joint meeting of the Port Angeles and Victoria Rotary Clubs would be held in Port Angeles Aug. 20. Victorians attending will leave here at 9.15 and return by 5.15.

About 60 members signified they would make the trip. Members may take their wives.

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The Chinese was one of a majority of those charged who pleaded guilty to offences, all of whom were fined \$25, or in default five days in jail, by Magistrate H. C. Hall. Not guilty cases were remanded to Aug. 21 until the magistrate returns from his vacation.

In cases where interpreters

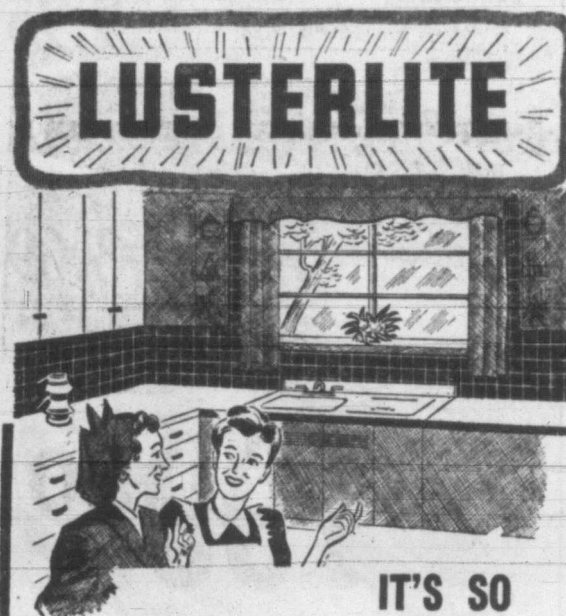
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Citizens Learn Mysteries Of Parking Meters



C. N. Hamilton, engineer in charge of installation, (right), explains Victoria's new parking meters to Brent Murdock, regional director of the Junior Chamber of Commerce, and Const. L. Appleton one of the policemen who will enforce regulations. There now are 400 meters up on the streets, and some motorists have already started dropping experimental nickels and pennies in them, although there will be no enforcement of the rules until after the by-law receives final reading and registration next week.

Dorothy Dix

POSSESSIVE WOMAN SHOWS TRUE COLORS AFTER WEDDING CEREMONY

Dear Miss Dix: While in high school I met my wife and courted her for three years. I became engaged and was about to marry when the war came on and I went into the army. My wife insisted on marrying then, but I decided it would be best for us to wait. I went into the service and stayed there for four years, and it was planned that we should be married when I returned home. But when I returned, to my surprise, I found that my fiancée had already bought her wedding dress, set the date of the wedding and sent out the wedding invitations. So we were married at once.

During all the time I was away, she was perfectly lovely to my family and professed the greatest affection for my mother and father. But from the day of our return from the honeymoon, she made it plain to my parents, as well as to all of my relatives, that she didn't want any visitors at our house unless they were invited.

She has never invited any of my people to our apartment. I always have to ask them. Ever since we were married she has treated my family as mean as she could. She doesn't even want me to go to see my parents, who live only two blocks away from us. She is furious if I pay them the slightest attention. She tries to bawl things up so that we have to go to her family's on every holiday. She pretends to think that my family are plotting against her when I have a conversation with them.

In a word, she has become impossible to live with and is rapidly killing all the affection that I had for her. How can I straighten out this situation.

PUZZLED.

Answer: Evidently you have been unfortunate enough to marry one of the possessive women who are determined to own their husbands, body and soul, and there is only one solution to your problem. You can either leave her, or else make up your

mind to submit to being treated like a morose little boy who lets mama dictate every act of his life.

Your wife showed her hand plainly enough when she rushed you into marriage before you were ready for it and practically having the wedding under way before you got home. She wasn't taking any chances on losing you.

Also, she showed her deep cunning in her pretended devotion to your parents before she got you safely hooked up. Now she has abandoned her pose and has begun on a campaign to separate you from your mother and father whom you love so much.

Your case is not an uncommon one. The world is full of wives who could give Hitler points on petty tyranny.

Dear Miss Dix: Before the birth of my second child, I was a happy-go-lucky girl, loved and loving, enjoying my child, devoted to my husband, proud of my lovely home. But, without my knowing why, everything is changed. I am moody, nervous, cross, disagreeable, have no interest in anything. I fight against this feeling because my good husband and children deserve better from me, but I just can't help it.

What do you think is the matter with me? I don't seem to be sick.

BEWILDERED WIFE.

Answer: But you must be ill without your realizing it. A sweet-tempered woman doesn't become a sour puss without some good and sufficient reason. I urge you to go, without delay, to the best doctor in your community. Many diseases that prove fatal in the end could have been cured if they had been recognized in time.

D.V.A. Social Club

S. H. Okell, assistant district administrator of the Department of Veterans' Affairs, reports that a D.V.A. social club has been formed, with E. G. Drage, manager of the Veterans' Hospital, as the chairman of the executive committee, with the following members: H. A. Hunt, R. Cosier

Today's Crossword Puzzle

HORIZONTAL

1 Pictured

10 Detailed

11 Racy party

12 Leave out

13 Sheen hair

14 Boy

15 Goggles

16 Monk's title

17 Bone

18 Parent

19 Pictorial outline

20 Article

21 Singing voice

22 Aristocratic

23 Assist

24 Winklike part

25 Pass

26 Dance

27 Antelope (ab.)

28 Half an em

29 Eliter

30 Mystic dislocation

31 Place

32 Balance

33 Pin

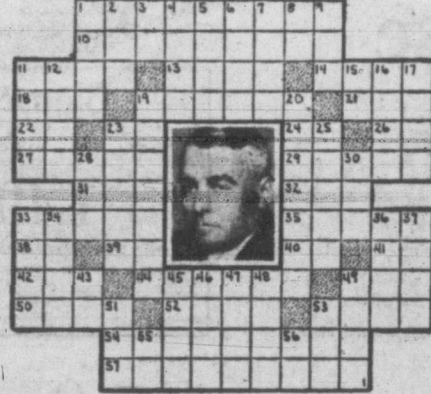
34 Horse's salt

35 Wax

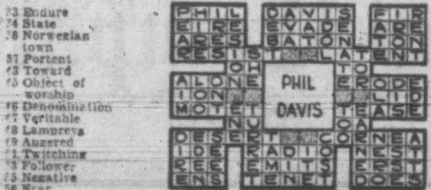
36 Metal

37 Embur

38 Disputed



(Answer to previous puzzle)



Baptist Minister Says He Will Not Pay Fine In Quebec

TORONTO (CP)—A 22-year-old Baptist minister, Rev. Murray Heron, and Miss Alice Moore, a missionary, Thursday night addressed 1,000 persons in the Jarvis Street Baptist Church here and declared themselves ready to go to jail rather than pay a fine for holding a meeting on a street corner in Rouyn, Quebec.

Authorities in Rouyn charged the two with holding the meeting without permission, and Mr. Heron stated he faced a \$40 fine or two months in jail if convicted when the case is heard in Rouyn Aug. 11.

"I will refuse to pay any fine and will go to jail if a penalty is imposed," he told the church congregation, which also was addressed by Rev. D. C. McLeod and of the Canadian Protestant League.

Miss Moore said she was determined to continue preaching the gospel on the street corners.

In Rouyn Thursday night it was announced the Baptists had been granted permission to hold open-air meetings on Monday nights.

(Mayor Paul Cuddey said Mr. Heron had made several efforts to hold meetings and had been stopped because he had not the necessary permission. By-laws against street meetings were enacted when too many people started holding meetings and the Baptist Church in Rouyn had asked blanket permission to hold meetings anywhere and when they liked, but they refused the mayor's offer of use of the civic bandstand on the grounds it was off the busy thoroughfare.)

Tennis Courts Here Poor, Club Hears

Not one public tennis court in Victoria is in playable condition, Carl Brand, president of the B.C. Lawn Tennis Association, told the Victoria Optimist Club Thursday.

Courts at Stadacona Park are good for nothing but baseball, and the Victoria West courts are extremely poor, he said. Victoria is worse off for tennis facilities than any other city on the Pacific Coast with a population more than 10,000, he said.

Lack of suitable tennis courts here was seen by Mr. Brand as the chief reason for Victoria not being represented on Davis Cup teams since 1912.

Mr. Brand said tennis was extremely popular and many children were receiving instruction. "Next year," he said, "we expect to have over 500 children interested in the game. If they are to have adequate facilities it will be necessary to have at least 20 public courts in this city."

Mr. Brand said there should be a court in every district, and suggested Heywood Avenue football grounds as a site for a number of courts.

James R. James pleaded guilty to a charge of dangerous driving on Quadra Street recently and was fined \$40 in Saanich police court Thursday by Magistrate H. C. Hall, who also ordered the defendant's driver's license suspended for three months.



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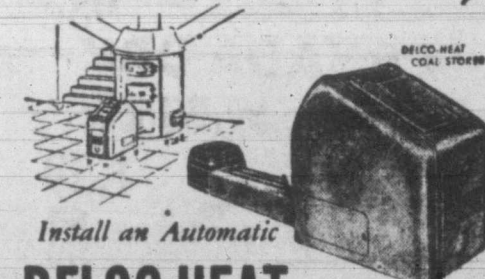
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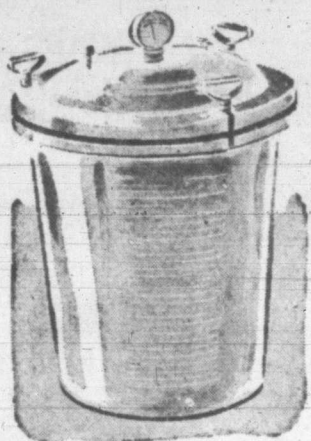


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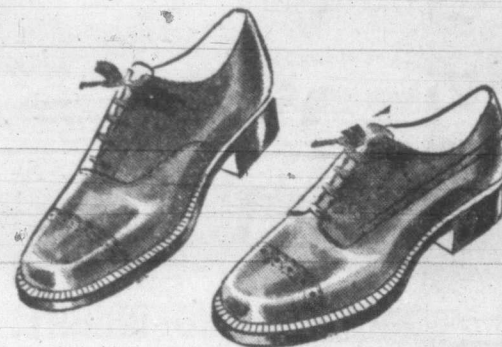
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Majeski Takes Hard One On Head



Chicago White Sox first baseman Rudy York bends over stretcher to comfort Philadelphia third sacker Hank Majeski, who was "beaten" by Chicago pitcher Earl Harritt in fourth inning of game at Philadelphia. Majeski was removed to hospital for observation.

Aces, Blue Birds In Vital Softball Tilt

Though Blue Bird Cabs can not possibly enter the senior A softball playoffs they can make the way easier for Douglas Tire if they can turn in a win over Rom Knot's second place Brentwood Aces in tonight's fixture at Central Park at 6.30.

If Brentwood win tonight Douglas Tire will be out and their scheduled game with Army and Navy Vets at 2.30, Sunday, will only serve to decide the league's second and third place order of finish.

UPLANDS GOLF

Mrs. S. J. D. Clark and Hugh Francis, with a net 69, captured the mixed foursomes at Uplands Golf Club this week. Forty members of the club took part in the event, which will be repeated Aug. 14. Members are requested to post their names as soon as possible.

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Californians Sweep Into Tennis Semis

With fine weather prevailing, a gala crowd is expected to witness the final rounds of the B.C. lawn tennis championships tomorrow afternoon at the Victoria Lawn Tennis Club. Play will commence at 1.30.

Semifinal rounds were being run off today. In the men's singles, Arnold Beisser opposed George Kraft while Paul Hauptert battled Mervyn Miller. All four men advanced to the semifinals Thursday with straight set victories, the lone exception being Miller, who was carried to an extra set by Jim Livingstone, another Californian, scores being 3-6, 6-2, 6-4.

All four men semifinalists are from California and three of the four women's semifinalists also come from that state. Mary Green of Vancouver was the lone Canadian left in singles play. Today she meets Arville McGurie to decide which one will enter the final round. Mrs. Crow and Miss Greenlee will fight it out over the three-set route to decide the other finalist.

UPSET SEEN

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Subway Series Looms As Dodgers Pull Away

A subway world series, founded on two dazzling western trips by Brooklyn Dodgers and New York Yankees, appears certain as the clubs head into August, normally the head of the stretch in the baseball pennant races.

Thirteen straight victories by the under-rated Brooks have given manager Burt Shotton's men a commanding 10-game lead over New York Giants and the defending St. Louis Cardinals.

Although the Yankees slacked off a trifle from the pace they held during their 19-game winning string, they have opened up a 12-game margin on the defending Boston Red Sox. Chief interest in the American League now centres around the scrap for second place.

In sweeping three straight from St. Louis at Sportsman's Park, the third by a 2 to 1 margin yesterday, the Dodgers left the champs hanging on the ropes.

St. Louis has 59 games to play as compared to 55 for the Dodgers, but their overwhelming advantage in home games now has largely disappeared.

Even Howie Pollet, the old Dodger-tamer, failed manager Eddie Dyer although he pitched a smart ball game, normally good enough to win. They were tied at 1 to 1 going to the ninth when Pee Wee Reese tripled to score Bruce Edwards with the winning run.

GIANTS LOSE
New York Giants also helped the Dodgers build up their lead by bowing to Cincinnati, 8 to 7. Grady Hatton's three-run homer in the eighth turned the tide after earlier clouts by Johnny Mize and Walker Cooper, each with two on, had given the Giants the edge. It was No. 31 for Mize, the leader, and No. 24 for Cooper.

Formation of a Victoria committee as part of the B.C. branch of the Canadian Olympic Association, which will devote its efforts to raising funds locally for B.C. athletes, was announced today by Col. B. Russell Ker. Col. Ker is a vice-president of the B.C. association and is chairman of the newly-formed Victoria committee. "The Victoria committee has an objective of \$2,000 to raise as this city's contribution towards the funds of the national association," said Col. Ker. "The Canadian association is concerned that Canadian athletes attending the 1948 Olympiad in London, Eng., should not be required to make the trip under straightened financial conditions. In Olympias of former years, there have been some cases where athletes attending the games did so at their own and the expense of a few friends."

Col. Ker explained that there would be no effort made of any general canvass for funds, but rather that his committee would devote its efforts to contacting business firms and sportsmen in the city and asking them to contribute the funds.

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The funds would be devoted to providing expenses for athletes attending the Olympic trials at Montreal, then for defraying costs of sending the successful aspirants to England. He did not consider the \$2,000 objective for Victoria a heavy one, and said that members of his committee did not anticipate any difficulty in reaching it. He pointed out that the Vancouver objective, where Col. Victor Spencer is heading the campaign, has been set at \$5,000. Total objective for the entire province is \$16,000.

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Boxla Race Tightens As Tillicums Spank Foul Bay

A youthful band of gutted stick wielders under the moniker of Tillicums, who are only playing in the senior boxla loop because of lack of entries in their own junior division, last night turned in the season's upset by stopping the league-leading Foul Bay squad and ending their 10-game winning streak in a hard-fought tussle 9 to 8.

Trailing throughout most of the game after momentarily enjoying a 3 to 1 margin at the end of the first period, Tillicums came through with a belated fourth-quarter rally to whip the over-confident district squad.

Victory for the clubmen moves them into a third place tie with Jokers in the standings, each with six wins and six losses. Foul Bay have two games remaining on their season's slate, one with Jokers and the other with the Legion crew. The Legion-Foul Bay game of August 8 could well decide the league crown.

Three fast goals in less than a minute by Gordon Ritchie, Larry Booth and Mason Sheldrick enabled Tillicums to take the lead in the fourth period after being down 8 to 6, with less than seven minutes to play. Ed Popham, clubmen's shift forward, was top goal-getter for winners with three markers.

Denny Shubrooke with four goals and Tom Halbert with three paced the Foul Bay attack. Tonight at the Stevenson Park

Box Canadian Legion play J.B. A.A. at 6.30.

Teams and scorers follow:
Foul Bay—Thompson, Fleming, Chunganes, Stewart 1, Halbert 3, T. Druce, Taylor, Walker, L. Scott, Shubrooke 4, Gower, W. Scott, Lubrooke.
Tillicums—Aitken, Joyce, Booth 2, Coates 1, Ritchie 2, K. Druce, Long, Ranson, Bourke, Dakers, Ellis, Popham 3, McMillan, Sheldrick 1.

Sports Mirror

By PETE SALLAWAY

LOOKING OVER the standing of the eight clubs in the Western International League one realizes our Athletics might easily have been right up there on top if the two pitchers sent to the club several weeks ago—Bob Jensen and Bill Rose—had come through. Jensen, although he has won three games, has not lived up to expectations, failing to finish his last two starts, while Rose has yet to pitch his first win. On top of that Jim Arnold is still suffering from arm trouble and certainly is not the pitcher he was last season in the Pioneer League.

AS FAR AS big Jensen is concerned he has been given the option of getting into pitching shape or else. Before departing for Spokane yesterday Manager Ted Norbert told me he had put it straight to Jensen that he had to get himself into condition or face suspension. After his last starting assignment turned sour Jensen wanted to go home and write him his baseball playing for this season. However, Charlie Graham, president of the San Francisco Seals, who holds Jensen's contract, asked the A's to make one last effort to keep the big right-hander working. Under such conditions one can look for improvement in Jensen's throwing or his hurried departure from the club.

VANCOUVER CAPILANOS handed outfielder Lou Estes his outright release when Seattle Rainiers sent along fly-chaser Larry Carpenter and then the latter goes out and twists an ankle in his first appearance. Absence of catcher Nick Pesut from the Wenatchee line-up is due to his having returned to the parent Sacramento club of the Coast League. Latest reports have Buddy Ryan, resigned manager of the Wenatchee club, forgetting all his diamond worries among the scenic beauties of Yellowstone Park.

IN TOWN looking over lacrosse and hockey prospects yesterday was Harry Porter of Vancouver, publicity director for the boxla league on the mainland and secretary of the Pacific Coast Amateur Hockey League. Porter was especially interested in the possibility of operating an intermediate hockey club in the city along with teams from Nanaimo, Vancouver and New Westminster. It would be the same set-up as the old Coast League in which the Victoria Bapcos competed. Porter disclosed the boxla clubs in the mainland league are experiencing a grand season and paid tribute to the fine performances being turned in by Victoria's Norm Baker and Arnold Ferguson for New Westminster Adanacs. "I think Adanacs will win the championship," he said.

Jockeys Threaten Strike At Regina

REGINA (CP)—Wayne Stevens, youthful Seattle, Wash., apprentice jockey, has been suspended indefinitely by presiding steward George Schilling for an "unsatisfactory" ride on Weisenheimer in the third race here yesterday.

Weisenheimer finished second to Valdina Joy after swerving sharply while in a contending position in the stretch.

There were unconfirmed reports that all other jockeys would refuse to accept mounts for today's program unless Stevens, who was married here Tuesday, was reinstated.

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A's Kick Ball Around In Loss To Spokane

Coming up with their second five-error performance in as many nights Victoria Athletics dropped a 3 to 2 decision to Spokane Indians last night and hold fourth place in the W.I.L. baseball standings by only two and a half games over Tacoma. Doug Donnan's ninth-inning single with two out and the bases loaded, won the fixture and added a full game to Spokane's margin at the top of the league.

All other first division clubs lost—Bremerton falling victim to Wenatchee 7 to 2 and Tacoma edging Salem 10 to 9. Yakima and Vancouver divided a twin bill. Yakima taking the opener 6 to 2 and dropping the second 8 to 7. Spokane now leads runner-up Bremerton by two and a half games.

The Indians scored a pair in the second inning on a single baffle, but Victoria garnered lone tallies in the fourth and seventh to tie the count and set the stage for Donnan's tie-breaking blow. A pitching duel throughout, Bill Werbowksi gave up but four hits for the winners while Victoria's Joe Blankenship gave up nine but was hindered with five errors by his teammates.

Victoria shortstop Johnny Cavalli had a particularly bad night being charged with three boots. Of the four hits garnered by the A's Vic Mastro, who played in the outfield, and second baseman Leo Righetti divided them.

ESTES STARS

Outfielder Lou Estes was the big gun of Wenatchee's attack over Bremerton. Making his first appearance for the Chiefs after his release by Vancouver, Estes collected a two-run homer, a double, two singles and a walk in five trips to the plate. His bat drove in four of the seven runs and he scored two others. Four Wenatchee double plays cut down Bremerton's rallies.

Salem bunched eight runs in the fourth inning at Tacoma to take a 9 to 3 lead, but were held in check henceforth by Stan Gilson's relief hurling while the Tigers gathered five in the fifth and singles in the sixth and seventh in pinch. Guy Miller's single scoring pinch-hitter Earl Kuper provided the winning tally.

A four-run burst in the initial frame gave Yakima its win over Vancouver, but Frank Mullen's base-loaded home run evened matters for the Canadians in the second class.

Short scores follow:

	W	L	Pct.
Spokane	66	44	.600
Bremerton	63	46	.578
Salem	60	45	.571
VICTORIA	59	52	.532
Tacoma	56	54	.509
Vancouver	52	55	.486
Yakima	42	65	.393
Wenatchee	36	78	.330

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Boxla Practices

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Jack Kersey's Spaniel Wins Best-in-Show At Parlor Event

Jack Kersey's springer spaniel McLeeco Sue carried off the best-in-show honors at the parlor show of the Vancouver Island Dog Fanciers' Association held last night at the Crystal Garden. Event attracted 73 entries with Jack Meldrum, well-known local breeder and exhibitor, judging all breeds.

In addition to the best-in-show award McLeeco Sue won the best sporting honors. Best Canadian-bred and best puppy awards were taken by Mrs. Sylvia Mellows' dachshund Mel-low-hill Antonio. Mrs. Standen's

Price Dip At Yearling Sales; Canadian Buyers Spend \$64,000

LEXINGTON, Ky. (AP)—The boys who scan the money figures of yearling thoroughbreds today looked at their tabs on the 1947 Keeneland sales, which closed last night, and found a sharp price dip.

Their tabulations showed the average classic colt or frisky filly of 1947 brought \$6,826 — way down from the record \$9,920 figure established in 1946. The boys had to go back to 1944 to find a lower average figure, \$5,321. The final tally on this year's four days of sales at picturesque Keeneland, the blue grass horse

Singles Events In Lawn Bowling Draw Big Entry

One of the features of next week's Greater Victoria Lawn Bowling Association's annual tournament will be the keen competition for the singles titles. Bill Peden of the local Canadian Pacific Club will defend the men's crown, as will Mrs. Greenwood of White Rock in the women's event.

Both competitions have attracted a large entry. Draw for the men's and women's singles follows:

MEN'S SINGLES
1. C. P. F. Vic. W. 2. A. C. Diner, Roy. 3. M. L. Smith, Dun. 4. P. Smith, Dun. 5. W. J. Smith, Dun. 6. C. P. F. Vic. 7. J. Swan, Vic. 8. W. J. Smith, Dun. 9. C. P. F. Vic. 10. C. C. Denevan, M.P. 11. A. L. Sellar, W.P.G. 12. A. Edwards, Vic. 13. J. Smith, Dun. 14. J. W. Phillips, C.P. 15. G. S. Baker, Burn. 16. W. G. Wright, W.P.G. 17. C. W. W. W. 18. J. W. W. 19. J. W. W. 20. J. W. W. 21. J. W. W. 22. J. W. W. 23. J. W. W. 24. J. W. W. 25. J. W. W. 26. J. W. W. 27. J. W. W. 28. J. W. W. 29. J. W. W. 30. J. W. W. 31. J. W. W. 32. J. W. W. 33. J. W. W. 34. J. W. W. 35. J. W. W. 36. J. W. W. 37. J. W. W. 38. J. W. W. 39. J. W. W. 40. J. W. W. 41. J. W. W. 42. J. W. W. 43. J. W. W. 44. J. W. W. 45. J. W. W. 46. J. W. W. 47. J. W. W. 48. J. W. W. 49. J. W. W. 50. J. W. W. 51. J. W. W. 52. J. W. W. 53. J. W. W. 54. J. W. W. 55. J. W. W. 56. J. W. W. 57. J. W. W. 58. J. W. W. 59. J. W. W. 60. J. W. W. 61. J. W. W. 62. J. W. W. 63. J. W. W. 64. J. W. W. 65. J. W. W. 66. J. W. W. 67. J. W. 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Building Passes \$6,000,000 Mark Municipalities Show Decline

Although Oak Bay, Saanich and Esquimalt all show a slight drop in building permits issued this year, the all-over building picture for Greater Victoria still shows a slight gain over the seven-month figure for 1946. This is due largely to the big permit of \$182,500 issued by the city for the temporary office building being put up by the provincial government.

The building total for the year to date has climbed to \$6,224,657, compared with \$5,820,073 for the same period last year.

In the city there have been 1,041 permits issued for \$3,727,923 this year, compared with 905 permits last year for \$2,954,594.

During July 148 permits were issued for \$541,277, and last July 121 permits for \$320,273. Last month permits were taken out for 20 new dwellings, one duplex, \$12,000 electrical work for the Sidney Roofing, and a \$25,000 storage warehouse for Dowell Brothers.

In Saanich, 648 permits were issued this year for \$1,748,930, while last year there were 649 permits for \$1,963,662. This year the permits included 347 houses, valued at \$1,539,720, while last year there were 351 dwellings, \$1,557,570.

During the month of July Saanich issued 90 permits for \$229,290, including 45 houses, \$204,700, while last July 66 per-

mits were issued for \$142,525, including 30 houses, \$121,300.

In Oak Bay 111 permits have been issued this year for a value of \$420,014, while last year 147 permits were issued for \$572,192. This year the permits included 54 dwellings, valued at \$363,590, and last year 77 dwelling permits were issued for \$483,813.

For the month of July Oak Bay issued 11 permits valued at \$20,875, including three for houses totaling \$17,000. Last July 19 permits were issued for \$66,280, including nine for homes, \$58,200.

Construction in Esquimalt for the first seven months of the year showed little difference from the same period in 1946, with cost of construction this year totaling \$317,790, and for 1946, \$329,625.

Twelve permits, eight of them for dwellings, representing a total construction value of \$40,950, were issued in Esquimalt in July of this year, compared with a construction value last July of \$50,800.

3 More Polio Cases

WINNIPEG (CP)—Three new cases of infantile paralysis were reported here today, raising the total for the Greater Winnipeg area to 34, and Manitoba total for the year up to 53.

Streetcar Driver Cleared Of Blame In Chinese Death

In bringing in a verdict of accidental death, a coroner's jury this morning absolved Joseph Greves, 1425 Elford Street, operator of a No. 10 streetcar, from blame in the death of Jung Sun, 75-year-old Chinese peddler, who died from injuries sustained when he was hit by a streetcar Monday afternoon at Douglas and Chatham Streets.

The inquest was held at Curry's Funeral Home, Dr. E. C. Hart, coroner, presiding. The jury was out for five minutes.

Eye-witnesses to the actions of the aged Chinese, who lived at 621 Chatham Street and used a pushcart to gather bottles in the city, gave evidence at the hearing to the effect that in spite of the warning bell of the streetcar conductor the deceased, when he came to the westerly tracks on Douglas Street in crossing the intersection started to move faster. Some even considered he started to run to beat the streetcar.

While his cart cleared the easterly rail Sun was hit by the right front corner of the streetcar.

Greves, streetcar driver, told the jury that he stopped to let a passenger off at Herald Street. He noticed a Chinaman with a cart starting from the west curb of Douglas. "It was a downhill grade and I was coasting, applying my brakes periodically. The Chinaman stopped and I eased my brakes. He started to run and I applied the brakes again and rang the bell and then came a thud."

The driver estimated the car speed at between 10 to 12 miles an hour, with 15 as a maximum. On applying his emergency brakes he stopped within two car lengths.

Dr. Lloyd McIven gave the cause of death as a fractured skull. Other witnesses were Chung Hing, cousin; Orthur Harrop, Fred W. Bennellack, Constables Donald Bule and George Godsmark.

Dr. Hart, in summing up, said he believed there were three such pushcarts being operated in the city "and judging from previous observation of the movements of these peddlers I am not surprised to see this happen. They have as much right to be on the street as a streetcar, but must use their rights in a reasonable manner."

He noted that while a car could dodge things, a streetcar could not.

The jury was composed of William Thompson, foreman; Horace Goodenough, Henry Holland, George Boyce, Roger Vestby and John Caldwell.

Berry Season Draws To Close

The 1947 berry season for lower island growers is just about over. C. H. Smith, area supervisor of the Dominion-Provincial Emergency Farm Labor Board, said today.

"Logans and raspberries now are all but cleaned up. They will be finished within two or three days," he said.

While the blackberry season will continue for some little time, Mr. Smith pointed out there are very few blackberry farms in this area.

The harvesting of bulbs is in full swing and the labor office has had no difficulty finding bulb workers. However, it is still faced with a shortage of experienced help.

1946 Victoria May Queen Enters Miss Canada Scholarship Contest

An attractive young Victoria College student, who in 1946 became Victoria's May Queen, Rosemary Hurst has been notified that her entry in the Miss Canada pageant to be held in Hamilton, Ont., Aug. 21 and 22, has been accepted.

Rosemary, who attended Victoria High School and has completed her first year at Victoria College, hopes to continue dramatic studies. It was with this in mind she entered the contest.

"The first prize is the City of Hamilton Award, a \$1,000 scholarship for study at any dramatic school of the winner's own choosing, providing the school meets with the approval of the contest committee," Miss Hurst said today. "There are also lesser scholarships."

A member of the Victoria Little Theatre, Rosemary also appeared on a local radio program during her final year at high school.

"I hope to carry on with dramatic studies, for that is what I am interested in," she said, adding that while on a visit to the



ROSEMARY HURST

United States on her vacation, she intends to make inquiries of drama schools.

In the 1946 Victoria May Queen contest, she topped seven other candidates for the title. At 18, Rosemary is five feet six inches tall, with brown eyes and dark brown hair.

Many Power Boats Expected To Take Part In Big Race

Between 30 and 40 power boats, including a number from the United States, are expected to participate in the annual Vancouver International Power Squadron predicted log race Aug. 9.

The race will start from the club's headquarters at Canoe Cove early in the morning and will finish at Friday Harbor, San Juan Islands at 2 p.m. The racing committee is composed of R. Halls and H. J. Sims.

All boats participating in the race will have to predict their arrival at Friday Harbor. Control points are located at Kellett Bluff lighthouse and Pole Pass lighthouse.

Last year 28 boats participated in the race which was won by A. O'Pwell with his cruiser Vagant. S. Skillings came second, while Norman Hill placed third.

Birth Rate Rises Slightly In City

Birth rate in Greater Victoria showed a slight increase for the second quarter of 1947 over the same period in 1946, Dr. J. L. Murray Anderson, medical health officer, said in his quarterly report. There were 627 births this year, with a birth rate of 25.1, while for the 1946 period there were 562 births, or a birth rate of 24.7.

At the same time the number of marriages recorded in the three-month period was 33 per cent greater than the previous quarter. The death rate remained almost static, and there were no maternal deaths noted. Infant mortality rate rose from 26.7 to 27.1.

During the period an outbreak of infectious diarrhea in the nursery of St. Joseph's Hospital caused three infant deaths, Dr. Anderson noted. A total of 53 cases were recorded, and of these 42 were Victoria residents. He described the fatalities as very small for an epidemic of this type.

Measles and mumps became increasingly prevalent during the spring, reaching a peak in March and April and declining rapidly since that time. There were 408 cases of measles and 77 cases of mumps during the quarter.

Attendance at well-baby clinics increased 15 per cent during the quarter. A new clinic was established in Macaulay Camp.

Heart disease continued to head the list of death causes, claiming 120 lives out of 307 during the period. Cancer caused 56 deaths, tuberculosis six, infant diseases 11, automobile accidents seven and pneumonia six.

317 Hours Sunshine Recorded For July

William Burton, official of the Dominion Meteorological Observatory at Gonzales, released today a summary of the weather for July.

Sunshine for the month was recorded at 317 hours, which is 19 hours below normal. However, Mr. Burton stated that the total was 18 hours above the record for last July.

Month's rainfall was listed at .19 inch, which is 26 below the normal precipitation for July. Total precipitation since Jan. 1 was quoted as 14.26 inches, or 1.31 inches above the normal rainfall for the first seven months of the year.

July's maximum temperature was reached on the 17th, when thermometer climbed to 84 degrees, while the minimum temperature of 50 degrees was recorded on July 1. Mean temperature for the month was 61 degrees.

A special meeting of the police commission will be held at 3 Tuesday afternoon to consider emergency matters, Mayor Percy George was informed today.

Chief Asks Co-operation To Make Parking Meter System Here Work

Police Chief J. A. McLellan, assuring motorists they would have no difficulty operating parking meters, today called on the motoring public to co-operate with the police in making the new parking regulations work.

The city by-law governing the operation of the meters is expected to be passed next week.

"Coins must be inserted separately and the handle turned after each coin. It is important to remember that the handle must be turned to the full extent otherwise the indicator on the dial will only move part of the distance and the motorist will lose some of the time to which his coin entitles him," he said.

"In the case of the 60-minute period, either five one cent pieces or a nickel may be inserted. But remember, the handle must be turned after each coin.

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"Motorists are prohibited from extending their time beyond the legal limit of 60 minutes. Cars must be parked wholly within the metered space, with the meter at the forward end of the car. Trailers attached to motor vehicles are not allowed in metered spaces.

"Any metered space may be used without charge on Sundays, holidays and between 6 in the evening and 8 in the morning.

"Taxicabs are allowed to use a metered space without charge to load or unload their passengers, but are only allowed two minutes parking time for this purpose.

"Commercial vehicles may load or unload merchandise in metered spaces without charge, provided they do not remain there for more than 15 minutes."

Entertainment Planned For Visiting Builders

Members of the Victoria Builders' Exchange are going ahead with plans for the reception of 100 Canadian Construction Association members who will visit here Oct. 3, 4 and 5 for a conference.

Don Smith has been appointed to arrange transportation and sightseeing trips for the visitors. W. J. Hamilton is to arrange catering. Ald. Ed. Williams is to organize fishing parties, and Frank Clarkson is to arrange a golf tournament.

The association members will come here following a two-day session in Vancouver.

New Schedules Set On Salary-Grants For B.C. Teachers

A new provincial government salary-grant schedule for B.C. schools, simplifying the schedule set up last year under the recommendations of the Cameron Report, will go into effect Sept. 1, it was reported in the B.C. Gazette today.

Whereas last year, teachers were paid according to certification, experience and position, this year the salary grant schedule is based on certification and experience only.

This will mean that, regardless of whether he is teaching in an elementary, junior or senior high school, he will be paid according to the grade of the certificate he holds and the number of years' experience he has had.

The new schedule will also have the effect of setting a minimum wage for the teachers.

Land Sales Drop

With the steady depletion of city-owned lands available for sale, receipts in the lands department are continuing to drop, Ald. R. A. C. Dewar, chairman of the lands, zoning and housing committee, said today.

Total sales for the first seven months of this year were only \$166,112, compared with \$233,394 last year, he said. There were 407 parcels sold this year and 580 last year.

Sales for the month of July dropped from \$15,763 to \$10,806. Last July 212 lots were sold, including 161 parcels to Wartime Housing Ltd. This year only 25 parcels were sold.

Cash receipts in the department for the seven-month period were \$177,314 this year and \$208,038 last year. For the month of July they were \$12,307 in 1947 and \$15,008 in 1946.

A B.C. Electric bus reported stolen at 8 last evening from the corner of Pandora Avenue and Douglas Street was recovered at 8.12 by the company parked outside of the Super Service Station, Blanshard Street.

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Aged Men To Get All-Day Trip Aug. 6
Thirty residents of the Aged Men's Home will participate next Wednesday in an all-day outing to Port Angeles, where they will be entertained by the Elks and given dinner. Ald. Margaret D. Christie, chairman of the city welfare committee, said following a meeting.
Each of the old gentlemen will be given \$2 pocket money.
Conversion of Songhees Camp huts is proceeding, she reported. Already one family with two children has moved in, although the work is not completed. The family had been evicted.

Peter Burt, Victoria Canoeist Plans To Go On From The Pas
"It's a pretty lonesome journey, but I'll do it," said Peter Burt before he left The Pas, Manitoba, Wednesday, after covering half of his long journey from Victoria to New York in his 16-foot canoe.
"I know if I stop half way through my plan I'll wish I had finished it," he said. "So I'll go on."
Burt headed down the Saskatchewan River toward Lake Winnipeg and hopes eventually to go through the Great Lakes, the Ottawa, St. Lawrence and Hudson Rivers to New York.
Burt planned the trip here as far back as 1939, but it was not until April, 1946, that the former member of the Canadian Scottish Regiment left Victoria in his aluminum canoe. Before leaving, he was given a letter from Mayor Percy George to New York's Mayor William O'Dwyer.
He carried with him 150 pounds of food, about \$100, bow and arrows and a rifle. So far he has traveled without a tent, but makes sure of adequate food supplies.
When he left Victoria, Burt worked his way up the east coast of Vancouver Island as far as Port Hardy, crossed over to the B.C. mainland. He made his way up the Bella Coola River, and after considerable difficulties managed to reach the Peace River.
When the winter set in, Burt left his canoe at Peace River and returned by train to Smithers to visit relatives. This spring he once again started his journey to New York.

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Scottish Residents Of Nova Scotia Hold Celebration

ST. ANN'S, N.S. (CP) — Through the glens of New Scotland and across the rippling waters of St. Ann's Harbor the bagpipes echoed today as Scots paused to recall the saga of Rev. Norman MacLeod, who landed on these shores 127 years ago and remained to hew out a chunk of hardy Scotland in the New World.

It was the third and final day of the ninth annual Gaelic Mod—a festival of Celtic culture and folklore. The gathering was officially opened Wednesday by Chief Flora, The MacLeod of MacLeod and 28th chieftain of all her clan, who traveled from Dunvegan Castle on the misty, heathered Isle of Skye, for the event.

In 1820 MacLeod and his six little barques were swept into St. Ann's Harbor by a rattling Atlantic storm. The little band stayed, though MacLeod later continued on to New Zealand, and today there are 70,000 descendants of those pioneers and of other Scottish exiles in Cape Breton. Half of them speak Gaelic.

In the Gaelic Foundation College here are preserved the relics of the early pioneers, reading and writing of Gaelic are taught, and a craft centre—one log cabin—turns out 75 of the 200 Scottish tartans.

The Gaelic address honoring the Cape Breton pioneers was given today by Veterans' Minister MacKenzie.

Tang's Pagoda Opens Saturday

Two well-known young people, both born in Victoria, of Chinese origin, both educated here at the North Ward and Victoria High Schools, tomorrow open their delightful new shop at 2626 Douglas Street. They are Mr. and Mrs. J. Tang, better known as Jack and Bessie, the son-in-law and daughter of Charlie Hope, the well-known tailor. They both worked under Mr. Hope for some years, and are thoroughly familiar with the clothing business.

Tang's Pagoda was designed by Jack and Bessie, and he built the attractively different fixtures and display stands within the shop. The merchandise they carry is varied and tempting; it includes children's hand-knitted wear, dresses, suits, infants' wear and novelties for children. Women's clothing and men's sports togs are featured, also a good line of linens and staples. A special section of the shop is devoted to fine English china, Chinese curios and other gift lines.

The first 500 customers will receive attractive opening-day souvenirs from Mr. and Mrs. Tang.

They And Their Parents Are Thankful For Milk



Grace is said by children of the village school of Fen Ditton, Cambridgeshire, England. Before each is one-third of a pint of milk, supplied free every day. School children in still severely rationed Britain receive it during morning lessons. At home parents may buy weekly 7 pints for children under five, and 3½ pints for children from five to fourteen. The parents themselves are allowed only three pints. "Robbing" the parents to give to the children, is a technique that parents in Great Britain have cheerfully accepted in all forms of food rationing.

Uncle Ray

NATURAL LAWS CONTINUE
IN FORCE ON FRIDAY
THE THIRTEENTH

Some persons are afraid when a "Friday the thirteenth" comes along. They suppose that bad fortune is more likely to come to them on such a day.

That idea seems silly enough. Why should there be any more reason to expect bad things on Friday the thirteenth than on Saturday the fourteenth?

There is just one reason which I can see, and it is this: If a person is too nervous about something, he may add to chance of an accident. Twenty years ago, I was riding in a car with a young woman who told me that she was "nervous about driving after dark." It still was twilight, but darkness was only a few minutes away. Being anxious to finish her driving before dark, she drove too fast. When she tried to turn a corner at rather high speed, the car skidded and turned completely around.

Nothing was in the way of the car when it did the skidding, so I am able to write these words today. It might have been otherwise!

It is much better on Friday the 13th to be calm than to be nervous. If we are calm, we are more likely to live through the 24 hours.

Things follow natural law, whether it is Friday or Sunday or any other day. A man who

Victoria, Island Students Win Prizes In Essay Competition

Ralph Alexander of Victoria High School and William Floyd of Esquimalt High School were two of the \$75 prize winners in the B.C. Products Bureau essay competition.

F. T. Fairley, deputy minister of education, has announced the list of winners from the \$257 entries from every school district in the province.

The entries were job studies of vocational opportunities in a selected industry. The B.C. Products Bureau of the Vancouver

falls out of a balloon at the height of a mile, without a parachute to ease his fall, will be just as dead after reaching the ground on Tuesday as on Friday.

One natural law has to do with metals. When a metal is heated, it will expand. When it is chilled, it will contract.

Take the steel rails along a railway track, for instance. These expand on a hot summer day, and contract when the weather gets colder in winter.

Men who plan, and lay, the tracks know that law. The rails are laid so there will be a little room for the steel to expand when the weather grows hot. If rails were laid on a chilly spring day, with the ends close against one another, there would be trouble in summer. Expansion of the steel would make the tracks crooked, and there probably would be a train wreck.

Board of Trade supplied text and film covering approximately 40 industries in the province which can be expected to provide profitable employment for B.C. men and women.

In each inspectorial district \$75 first, \$50 second and \$25 third prizes have been awarded by school authorities and cheques will be given the winners at special school functions in September.

In the Victoria and Duncan district six prizes were awarded. Ralph Alexander winning one of the \$75 prizes for his essay on commercial art and William Floyd for his on salmon canning.

Second prizes of \$50 were won by D. W. R. Bailey, North Saanich High School, for an essay on accountancy, and by Gene Simpson, Victoria High School, who wrote on crab fishing.

Third prizes were won by Margaret McDonald, Victoria High School, who described secretarial work, and Helen Hill, Mount Newton High School, who wrote on the nurse in industry.

In the Nanaimo-Courtenay-Alberni districts George Wong, John Shaw High School, Nanaimo, won the \$75 prize for his essay on the motor vehicle repair industry. Bob Mills, Alberni District High School, won the \$50 prize for an essay on the shingle industry, and Ailsa Dickson, Ladysmith High School, won the \$25 prize for her essay on salmon canning.

5,000 Boxes Of B.C. Apples For Britain Cost-Free

VANCOUVER (CP)—A pledge of 5,000 cases of apples to be sent cost-free to Britain today was seen by backers as the possible forerunner of a Dominion-wide "lend-lease for peace" move.

The plan, backed by 14 Greater Vancouver fraternal organizations, was originally suggested by the North Vancouver Chamber of Commerce, following cancellation of contracts for B.C. apples earlier this year by British importers attempting to stabilize their shaky dollar—a scarce economy.

It is the first phase of a master plan to send 250,000 boxes, purchased by public subscription.

North Vancouver's Mayor Jack Loutet, who saw Canadians under a "strong bond of sympathy with Great Britain," suggested 100,000 persons each buy a box for shipment overseas.

Arthur Woodhouse, president of Branch 118, Canadian Legion, and one of the originators of the idea, said a prominent shipping official had promised, if the scheme went through, free freight or a special rate aboard his vessels.

The British food ministry would oversee distribution in the United Kingdom, and Britons would have British Columbia apples on their tables by mid-October without parting with any of their scarce dollars.

More than 1,000,000 boxes went to fruit-hungry England last year from the Pacific coast, more than one-third of that amount from the Okanagan and Kootenay valleys. A committee was set up to spark interest in interior centres as action must be taken now in view of the forthcoming apple harvest.

New Terminus Of T.C.A. At Pat Bay



Air passengers now have been provided with this spacious waiting-room at the new \$20,000 Trans-Canada Air Line Patricia Bay Terminal, officially opened at a reception Thursday. Entrance to the building is made through the R.C.A.F. main gate, but the company hopes eventually to build a new road to the terminus.

To Mine Pitchblende

TIMMINS, Ont. (CP) — Ten miners will leave here next week for Port Radium, N.W.T., where they will mine pitchblende, source of uranium, from which comes atomic power. Fifty former Timmins miners already are working in the Port Radium pitchblende field.

Murray "Muzz" Patrick will address next Monday's meeting of the Victoria Gyo Club, William Bond, chairman of the program committee, has announced.

LONDON—Myer Jack Landa, 73, veteran parliamentary reporter and author, died less than a year after his retirement from the House of Commons press gallery, of which he was chairman in 1943.

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'Michigan Kid' Showing At Plaza

After a score of years before the movie-going public as a sympathetic character, Andy Devine figured he was safe in trying his hand at screen villainy. The round comedian essays the role of a frontier outlaw in the Universal romantic drama, Rex Beach's "Michigan Kid," in cinecolor, now at the Plaza Theatre.

Andy does not eschew the lovable, rollicking portrayal entirely. Rather he employs his familiar gravel-throated whimsy as a masquerade for the surprising about-face in personality which the action of the Rex Beach story dictates.

Aligned with Andy in promoting the underground enterprises in the film is Victor McLaglen. Co-starred with them are John Hall and Rita Johnson, Ray Taylor directed.

Glen Langan can't be certain that his fiancée Maureen O'Hara, is rooting for the same horse he is, because Cornel Wilde also has a horse entered in the race which occupies their attention in this scene from "The Homestretch." The Twentieth Century-Fox technicolor hit, opening today at the Royal Theatre, unfolds an exciting romance that hits all the high spots of the world's most famous racing classics.

CAPITOL THEATRE

An unusual feature of the cast of "Living in a Big Way," starring Gene Kelly on the Capitol screen, is that its principal players, with the exception of Marie (The Body) McDonald, are all graduates of the New York stage.

Gene Kelly jumped from "Pal Joey" to a spectacular Hollywood career. Charles Winninger and Spring Byington were veteran legitimate performers when they arrived in Hollywood, as was also John Warburton. Clinton Sundberg and Jean Adair appeared as butler and grandmother in "Arsenic and Old Lace," and Bill Phillips started his acting career on the stage.

ATLAS THEATRE

When Douglas Fairbanks Jr. learned that no belaying pins would be used for the boat scenes in RKO Radios stirring technicolor spectacle, "Sinbad the Sailor," now at the Atlas Theatre, he expressed some dismay. "No belaying pins?" he wailed. "It'll be like trying to make a western without a mortgaged ranch." The studio research department after a thoroughly exhaustive investigation had found no indication that either belaying pins or blocks were known in the Red Sea or Mediterranean in the ninth century, the setting and period of the film.

Rio Books Movie Of F.B.I. Work

There have been several screen versions of the F.B.I. in action but no film captures the real spirit of that great organization better than does Twentieth Century's "House on 92nd Street," playing at the Rio Theatre for three days starting today. Lloyd Nolan, William Elyse and Signe Hasso enact one of the many spy dramas which emerged in the last war. With true dramatic intensity this film, directed by Henry Hathaway, reveals the inner workings of the F.B.I., the organization that fought and broke the best agents of the enemy.



Ethel Merman gives out with some of Irving Berlin's all-time hits under the watchful eye of Tyrone Power in "Alexander's Ragtime Band," the Twentieth Century-Fox master musical which unprecedented public demand brings back today to the screen of the Dominion Theatre. Alice Faye and Don Ameche are also starred in the unforgettable hit.

Where To Go Tonight

(As Advertised)

ATLAS—Douglas Fairbanks in "Sinbad the Sailor."

CAPITOL—"Living in a Big Way," starring Gene Kelly and Marie McDonald.

DOMINION—"Alexander's Ragtime Band," with Tyrone Power and Alice Faye.

OAK BAY—Robert Montgomery in "Race in Heaven."

PLAZA—Jon Hall and Rita Johnson in "Michigan Kid."

RIO—"House on 92nd Street," starring Lloyd Nolan.

ROYAL—Cornel Wilde and Maureen O'Hara in "The Homestretch."

YORK—William Powell and Esther Williams in "The Hoodlum Saint."

28 Berlin Songs In Dominion Movie

Irving Berlin's "Alexander's Ragtime Band," the celebrated Twentieth Century-Fox musical, opens for an encore engagement today at the Dominion theatre. By any standards—stars, songs, story and production—here is a motion picture experience yet to be surpassed. "Alexander" is, indeed, the champion of musicals.

So rich in the melodic delight of its 28 Irving Berlin songs; so entrancing in the superb performances of Tyrone Power, Alice Faye, Don Ameche and Ethel Merman; so exciting in a story that spans 25 turbulent years; and so magnificent in its production is this picture, that it will always stand as perfection itself in the art of motion picture entertainment.

Authenticity Problem For Film At Royal

While getting racing horses to behave before a motion picture camera is a formidable problem in itself, Robert Bassler, producer of Twentieth Century-Fox's new technicolor hit, "The Homestretch," was also plagued by the problem of the proper settings for the horses.

The exciting turf story, which stars Cornel Wilde and Maureen O'Hara, and opens today at the Royal Theatre, required reproductions of race tracks on three

Piano Recital At Summer School

Charles Palmer, former organist of the Royal Chapel in Windsor Great Park, England, was featured in a piano recital Thursday at the B.C. Summer School of Education. The program, was well received by the teacher audience.

Two contrasting Etudes by Chopin: the A flat, Opus 25, No. 1, and the G flat, Opus 10, No. 5, opened the program. Mr. Palmer's interpretation of these

OAK BAY THEATRE

One of the most powerful and suspense-packed pictures ever filmed makes a triumphant return to the Oak Bay screen this week with the showing of "Race in Heaven," co-starring Ingrid Bergman and Robert Montgomery.

This picture, adapted from the novel by James Hilton, author of "Goodbye, Mr. Chips" and "Lost Horizon," is memorable as being the most thrilling "perfect crime" story ever brought to the screen.



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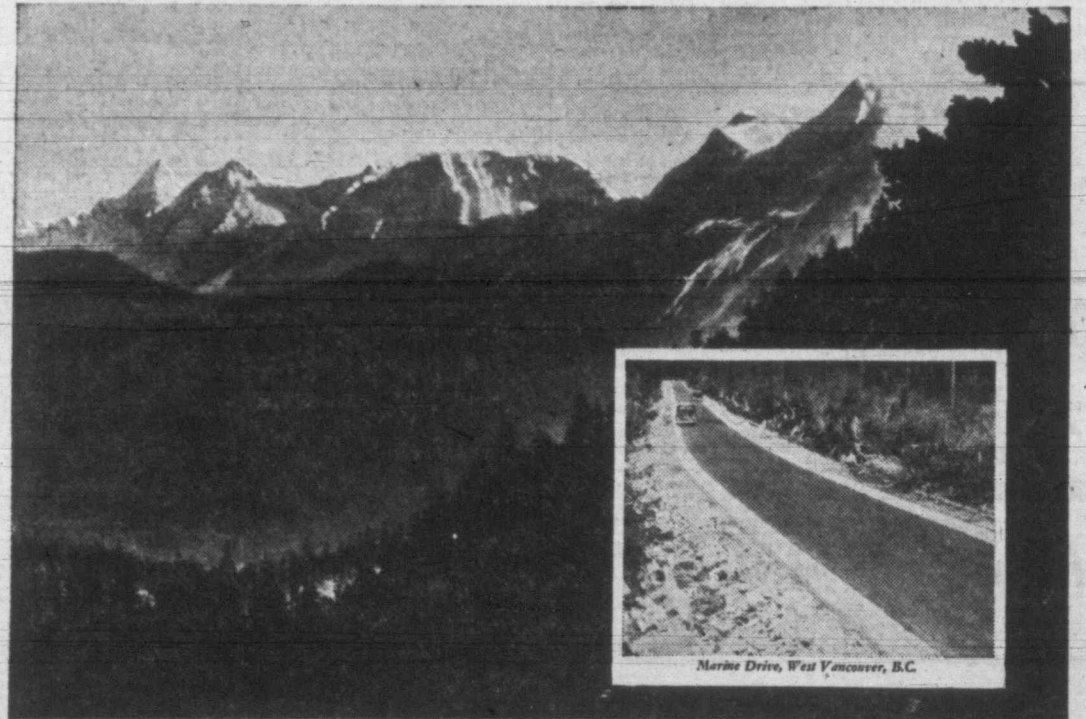
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Announcements

MARRIAGES
CRUMP-WEISBERGER—The marriage is announced of Helen Katharine, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. Weisberger of Regina, to Bernard Frank Crump of Victoria, which took place at St. Barnabas Church at 2 p.m. July 31, 1947. A reception at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Weisberger, 1111 Fort Street, on August 1, 1947.

DEATHS
BLACKBURN—On July 31, 1947, at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Edgar D. Robertson, 3603 Chedoke Bay Road, Mrs. Mary Stewart Blackburn, aged 86 years, widow of Thomas A. Blackburn, formerly of Edmonton, Alberta. She had resided for 40 years in Victoria. Her husband died on July 21, 1947. Burial in the cemetery on August 1, 1947. Deane Elliot officiating.

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Form of contract and specification can be seen and forms of tender obtained at the office of the Chief Engineer, Department of Public Works, Ottawa, and at the office of the District Engineer, Post Office Bldg., New Westminster, B.C.

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Flo Kennedy Tosses Hudson's Bay To Shutout Victory

With Flo Kennedy turning in a brilliant performance on the mound, Hudson's Bay senior A girls last night defeated Eaglettes, 7 to 0, in the first game of a best-of-five series for the city women's softball crown.

Winners over Adverts by the odd game in three in the semi-finals, Eaglettes failed to do much with the offerings of Kennedy, only five batters reaching base in the contest.

Bays pushed across three runs in each of the first two innings and added a singleton in the seventh.

Dominion Meat Market and Army and Navy Air Force Vets moved into the finals of the men's senior B division one league by winning their semi-final playoff series with R.C. A.F. and Victoria Merchants in straight games.

Dominion Meat won last night's game by breaking loose for nine runs in the eighth inning to break a 5 to 5 tie score, going on to defeat the fliers, 16 to 6. Irwin's quad won the first game, 8 to 3.

Vets walked into the final round when Merchants defaulted their scheduled contest. Vets won the opener, 34 to 5.

Dominion Meat and Vets will commence their best-of-five final series and the right to meet the division two titleholders, Thursday.

Douglas Hawkes knotted their five-game junior boys' playoff series with Black and Whites at one game apiece by whipping the taximen, 15 to 6.

2 May Be Dead In Bomber Crash

MCCORD FIELD, Wash. (AP)—A B-25 bomber on a night flight south to Hamilton Field, Calif., crashed in the Goble Creek area east of Kelso, Wash., early today and two of the four men bailed out.

One of them, the crew chief, reached Kelso later and the other, a passenger, critically hurt, was being taken there by ambulance.

The fate of the pilot and the co-pilot was not immediately learned. The crash area is between 40 and 50 airline miles south of here.

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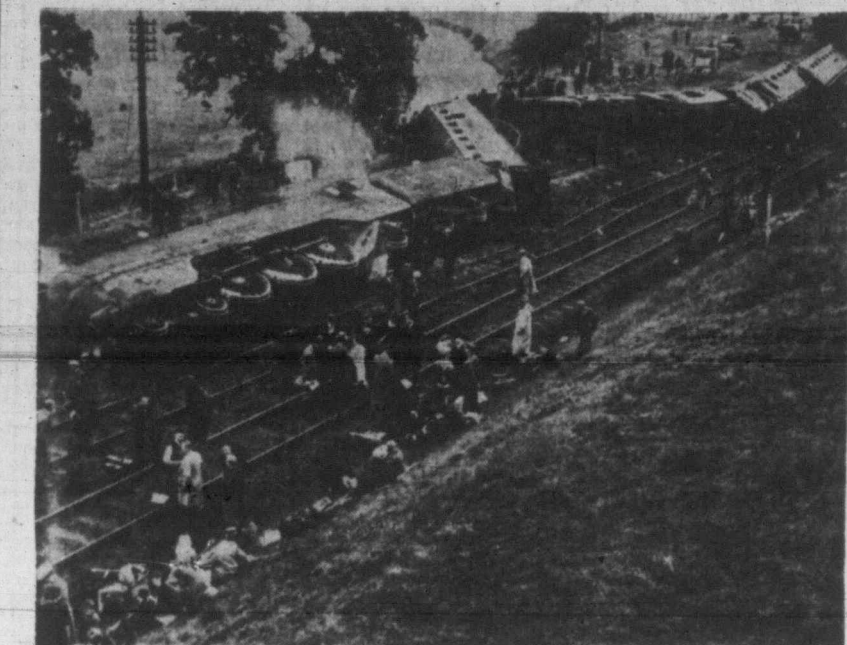
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London-Liverpool Train Wrecked



Five persons were killed and 30 injured when this crowded London-Liverpool train overturned. In foreground after crash, rescued passengers rest by the upset locomotive, with rescuers gathered around wrecked coaches. Ambulances are at top right.

British-U.S. Pact On Occupation May Have To Be Revised

WASHINGTON (AP)—Great Britain, because of her belt-tightening economic plight, has told the United States informally that she (Britain) must make sharp new cuts in her world stability commitments.

The reason: To stretch for use at home a fast-dwindling supply of U.S. dollars.

Diplomatic authorities said today the informal talks have been going on for several days, centering primarily on revising the Anglo-American agreement for Germany's occupation.

Under terms of that agreement signed last December, the two countries merged their occupation zones for economic purposes with costs split on a 50-50 basis.

But, because many of the basic needs for German occupation fall in a category of supplies in which Britain herself is deficient, Britain has been forced to turn to the United States for the purchases, paying for their part of the bill in dollars.

British officials here insist there has been no formal request as yet for a change in the 50-50 formula. Rather, they have put it to their American colleagues this way:

It has become apparent that Britain will run out of dollar credits, perhaps within the next six to eight months, and must reduce imports for which dollar payments are required. If she reduces such imports at home, it is obvious she cannot pay for similar imports to be sent to Germany.

Under the 50-50 plan, Congress appropriated \$600,000,000 to pay occupation costs in Germany, Japan and Korea. Of that amount \$207,000,000 was earmarked for Germany and—barring the plan's revision—would have to be matched by Britain.

Baker Scores Six

NEW WESTMINSTER (CP)—New Westminster Adanacs swamped their intercity rivals, Vancouver Burrards, 27 to 15, in a box lacrosse league game played here Thursday night.

The win moved the Adanacs into first place one point ahead of the Burrards in the league standings. Main guns of the Adanac artillery were: Johnny Douglas, with eight goals, and Norm Baker with six.

Vaccine Makes Rats Immune To Polio

PALO ALTO, Calif. (AP)—A vaccine which makes cotton rats immune to infantile paralysis was announced today by a group of Stanford University medical and chemical researchers.

This vaccine is a relatively crude extract of the brains and spinal cords of mice and monkeys infected with the disease.

After a series of injections of this substance, test rats remained resistant to the disease even when given fabulous amounts of polio virus.

Toronto 'The Good' May Exhibit Nude

TORONTO (CP)—The "reclining nude," a Matthew Smith painting of a lady in an advanced stage of undress on a couch, may be hung in the art exhibit of this year's Canadian National Exhibition despite the recent Regina inference that it is "too intimate" for public display.

Elwood Hughes, general manager of the C.N.E., said today he would be quite interested in bringing the painting here for his big show. "I'm told it's a very fine piece of work."

Russia Pointed Out Why Czechs Should Not Attend Parley

PRAGUE, Czechoslovakia (AP)—Foreign Minister Jan Masaryk said today high Russian leaders had "pointed out" the awkwardness "of Czechoslovakia's acceptance of the invitation to the Paris conference on the Marshall proposal."

Masaryk, who returned recently from Moscow, told this reporter he had "needed no guidance" to realize even earlier that his country might have to withdraw from the conference.

Czechoslovakia first accepted a British-French invitation to discuss the Marshall proposal of United States aid in restoring European economy. The country later withdrew the acceptance and spurned any participation in the Marshall proposal talks, as did Russia and all other eastern European nations in the Russian sphere.

Masaryk, son of the founder of the republic and himself educated in the United States, today gave the first detailed account of his trip to Moscow early in July.

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He asserted that he and Communist Premier Klement Gottwald were not "sent for" and that he had realized even before he talked with Prime Minister Stalin and Foreign Minister Molotov in the Kremlin that, under existing circumstances, the original decision to go to Paris must be reversed.

He contended there was no change involved in Czechoslovak policy and said Czechoslovakia still needed and hoped to obtain western aid, at least in the form of "normal commercial loans for specific purposes."

Masaryk said the existing economic alignment need not represent any actual division of Europe.

He said Czechoslovakia now was pressing for a mutual assistance treaty with France of the same kind which she has with the Soviet Union.

Anchorage Cut Off By 'Phone Strike'

SEATTLE (AP)—The Alaska long distance operator on the Seattle switchboard advised today she was unable to complete telephone calls to Anchorage, Alaska, because of a strike of operators in the northern city.

The operator said she was advised telephone service went on an emergency only basis at 10 P.M. Thursday night.

(Earlier, members of the International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers (A.F.L.) in Anchorage had turned down a 5 per cent wage increase offered by the city and set a midnight deadline in their negotiation for increases ranging from 17 to 19 per cent.

